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MAN WHO ATTEMPTED TO

Murder Over a Thousand Persons and Send the Liner Umbric

To the Bottom of the Sea Arrested in Philadelphia—Defies the Police.

NEW YORK, JAN. 16.—AS GESSLER ROSSEAU,THE;MAN WHO ATTEMPTED TO MURDER PITILESSLY OVER 1,000 PERSONS AND SEND THE CUNARD LINER UMBRIA TO THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA,AND THUS MAKE OF ITS CARGO AN UNFATHOMABLE MYSTERY OF THE DEEP, THE MAN ARRESTED YESTERDAY IN PHILADELPHIA HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED. WHEN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY HE HAD IN HIS POSSESSION AN INFERNAL MACHINE LOADED WITH DYNAMITE, THE COUNTERPART OF THE ONE HE SHIPPED TO THE UMBRIA IN MAY, 1903. HE IS BELIEVED TO BE THE MAN WHO TRIED TO DESTROY THE UNITED STATES BATTLE SHIP CONNECTICUT AT HER LAUNCHING; HE IS ACCUSED OF HAVING PLACED THE BOMB ON THE STATUE OF FREDERICK THE GREAT IN WASHINGTON WITH INTENT TO DESTROY IT; HE IS CHARGED WITH HAVING TRIED TO LEVY BLACKMAIL UPON THE RELATIVES OF OWEN KELLY, A RICH PHILADELPHIAN, MISSING SINCE NOVEMBER, THREATENING TO HURL TO DEATH BY DYNAMITE ALL THOSE WHO STOOD IN HIS WAY OR THWARTED HIS PURPOSE.

FRENCH IN NAME, IRISH IN ACCENT, CHUNKY, STRONG OF BUILD, WITH A NERVE THAT IS REMARKABLE, ROSSEAU TODAY DEFIED THE POLICE, SNAPPING HIS FINGERS AT THEM WHEN CHARGED WITH THESE CRIMES, AND SAID TO THEIR REPEATED INQUIRIES, AS TO HIS ANTECEDENTS AND MOVEMENTS: "GO FIND OUT."

Philadelphia, Pa, Jan 16.—Gessler Rosseau is, according to his own confession the man who attempted to wreck with dynamite the statue of Frederick the Great. In a remarkable statement which he made to the police yesterday the Anarchist frankly admitted that he sought to destroy the gift of the Kaiser and confessed that he was the person who placed the infernal machine on the Umbria last May with the intention of blowing the ocean liner, carrying hundreds of passengers, to atoms.

Rosseau, however, refused to divulge the details of his fiendish work, saying at intervals that he would rather have the police find out certain things for themselves

Surprise for Rosseau.

Careful plans for the reception of Rosseau in Captain Donaghy's office yesterday morning were arranged by the latter.

Captain Bordman, of the Washington Detective Bureau and George H. Hazel and Alfred Carter, two cabmen who saw the dynamiter place the bomb at the railing of the statue, came on from Washington to confront the prisoner. Mrs Currie, proprietress of the boarding house where Rosseau lived while he was in New York, was also present.

Captain Donaghy arranged the group in a semi-circle about his desk in his private office. Then he went up to the cell room for the prisoner. Rosseau's rather cold face wore a sneering smile. A dark skull cap was pulled down about his ears and under his arm he carried a big book.

As he was suddenly thrust into the captain's room he met Mrs. Currie face to face.

Both started back.

"That's him." said the woman.

"Why, how do?" said Rosseau, with a sickly smile.

Then Hazel, a Washington hackman, who is a powerful Southerner, stepped forward and said, with a broad Southern accent:

"Wal, I reckon you know me?"

Rosseau nodded his head.

"And me," chimed in Carter, the negro who had driven the dynamiter from the Washington station to the War College grounds, "'Cause I most certainly know you."

Admits the Two Crimes.

"That's right; you got the goods on me, Cap," replied the prisoner. "I admit I'm the fellow you're looking for for the Washington job and the Umbria case. I'm sorry I didn't get away with the statue, but I didn't want to blow up the ship and kill anybody. Otherwise I wouldn't have written to the police telling them where the dynamite was I never wanted to kill anyone."

"Well, it's a little hard to understand your motive then," said Captain Donaghy, assuming a sympathetic aid. "I haven't much use for those foreign statues myself—"

Rosseau's eyes brightened and flashed and for the first time his face showed signs of animation.

"Captain," he said, "I don't know whether you meant that for a sarcasm or not, but it is exactly what I think. I am an American patriot and we purpose to rid the country of these foreign things."

"Who are we?" broke in the Captain.

Rosseau's jaw snapped like a trap, the sneer crept back to his face and he sat a picture of impassive aggressiveness.

All three of the detectives took a hand in the questioning, and according to them Rosseau said he was an American by birth but as to his place of birth he would say nothing.

Made Machine in Chicago.

"It is true my name is not Gessler Rosseau. I am a greater reader, particularly of history and social science. I assumed the names of Gessler, from the Swiss tyrant, and Rosseau, the French philosopher, as typical of my mission—power and patriotism."

Rosseau said he had been most everywhere and when questioned at random as to other cities he showed a familiarity that indicated intimate acquaintance.

"When I put that box on the Umbria," he said, "I made it in Chicago and brought it on to New York. I bought the trunk in Chicago and subsequently found it was not suitable. I bought the sixty pounds of dynamite in New York City."

"When you bought it did not you represent yourself as an Italian contractor?" asked Detective Carey.

"I did."

"I would rather you would find that out for yourself"

Mrs. Currier recalled having seen her lodger lugging a couple of bundles up to his room one day and the prisoner was asked if these bundles contained the sixty pounds of dynamite He replied with his favorite answer, which he invariably gives with an air of sneering politeness "I'd rather you would find that out yourselves."

Did Not Seek Human Life.

Rosseau admitted that he himself had written the letter signed "Mana" to Commissioner Greene, informing him that the dynamite was in a trunk ready to be hoisted aboard the ship. Asked why he notified the police and spoiled what chance he might have had of causing an explosion, the dynamiter answered that he really did not want to take human life; he wanted to give a warning in a striking way to foreign ships to keep away from American ports. Substantially these facts comprised his vital admissions in regard to the Umbria incident.

As to the attempt to wreck the statue of Frederick the Great, he said he was prompted to destroy it because the gift of the Kaiser was distasteful to a large section of the American people.

"I intended to blow it up at night," Rosseau said, "so that only the statue itself would be destroyed and no lives lost.

"I found when I looked over the ground that the yard was so guarded that the only way you could get past the sentries at night was to take a boat and go up the river. The river was so full of ice that I had to give up this idea and got the cab and went up in the day time.

"That machine I placed there had twenty-five pounds of dynamite in it which was to be set off by a lighted candle set up in wax. I think the wax must have melted and run over things and that spoiled the force of the explosion.

"I then made the machine which was found on me when I was arrested in Philadelphia"

"Who helped you make it?" interrupted Captain Donaghy.

"I made it all myself. I fixed the clockwork so I could time it and leave the satchel there in the daytime with the assurance that the explosion would take place at night and no one would be killed. I was going to Washington as soon as I got through with Mr. Kelly and finish up the Kaiser's statue."

JAP REGIMENT ANNIHILATED

Huanhsnan, Jan. 15.—The Japanese yesterday bombarded Liao Fantun and Liutsyatun, and also Lone Tree and Novgorod Hills, which they are extremely anxious to capture.

All day January 9 the Japanese bombarded the Russian position to the right and left of the railroad with unaccustomed vigor.

On January 10 at 2 o'clock in the morning a Japanese regiment advanced in the face of a furious fire from batteries and rifles, drove back the Russian outposts, who drew on the Japanese to a masked battery and later allowed them to come on suddenly, when the Russians opened a murderous fire, the infantry at the same time falling on the Japanese flanks. The Japanese regiment was almost completely annihilated and the remainder fled in wild disorder, leaving heaps of dead and wounded on the field.

The Russians pressed the pursuit and took the Japanese position on January 10 at noon.

DYING

From Pneumonia New Yorker

Is Married to a Muncie Lady and in His Gasps for

BREATH WILLED THAT HIS THOUSANDS GO TO THE SORROW STRICKEN BRIDE.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 16.—Edmund R. Abbott, fatally ill with pneumonia, was today married to Mrs. Carrie A. Tuttle, at 1160 South Mulberry street, by Rev. Harry N. Wilson. The only witnesses were Miss Catharine Nutter, of Indianapolis, the daughter of Mrs. Tuttle, and Attorney Albert E. Needham, a friend of Mr. Abbott. Abbott's mother is in California.

Mr. Abbott was just able to lift his head. Feebly sinking back on the pillow he made a special request that all arrangements be made for his property to go to his newly wedded wife Mr. Abbott was born and reared in New York City.

He not only owns a valuable piece of real estate in New York, but also carries a life insurance policy for $20,000. Mrs. Abbott has been a resident of Muncie 15 years. She has lived in her present home many months with an only daughter and rented rooms

Mr. Abbott arrived in Muncie Christmas morning. The couple were then engaged, although the date of the wedding was uncertain. Soon after arriving he was stricken with pneumonia. Already afflicted with tuberculosis the pneumonia soon reached the critical state, and today when informed by the attending physician that there was little hope of recovery Mr. Abbott requested that a marriage license be obtained, and the sad ceremony was performed. Immediately thereafter the dying groom, through Attorney Needham, made arrangements for all his property to go to his sorrow-stricken bride

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

Boxing.

MONDAY.

At New Bedford, Mass.—Jimmy Britt vs Peter Sullivan.

At Detroit—Charlie Coffey vs. Fred Scherr

At Webster, Mass.—Sam Langford vs. Joe Reed.

TUESDAY.

At St Louis—Martin Duffy vs. Dick Fitzpatrick.

At Beaver Falls, Penn.—Joe Youngs vs Owen Ziegler.

At Saginaw—Harry Forbes vs. Jone Cherry.

At Baltimore—Kid Gilbert vs Joe Smith.

WEDNESDAY.

At South Bend, Ind.—Morris Rausch vs. Pat Kannelly.

At Hot Springs—Kid Wedge vs. Milt Kenney.

THURSDAY.

At Woodstock, R I.—Gus Ashley vs. Jack O'Neil.

FRIDAY.

At Kalamazoo, Mich.—Dick Fitzpatrick vs. Otto Sieloff.

At Denver—Jimmy Gardner vs. Jimmy Kelley.

At Evansville, Ind.—Gene Bezenah vs Kib Limmel.

At Baltimore—Joe Tipman vs. Kid Sullivan.

At Mt. Clemens—Foster Walder vs. Harry Blackburn.

Turf.

New Orleans—Continuation of the winter meeting of the Crescent City Jockey Club.

Hot Springs—Continuation of the winter meeting of the Hot Springs Jockey Club at Essex Park.

San Francisco—Continuation of the winter meeting of the New California Jockey Club at Oakland.

Los Angeles—Continuation of the winter meeting of the Los Angeles Jockey Club at Ascot Park.

Bowling.

Continuation of the tournaments of the Hamilton county, Greater Cincinnati, Oriental and North Cincinnati Leagues Entries open to championship of Cincinnati Bowling Association.

DOUBLE CRIME

Committed by Indiana Man Who as Financial Secretary, Had Defrauded His Lodge.

Veedersburg, Ind., Jan. 16.—At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the bodies of John W. Brant and Charles Ekberg, the most influential lodge workers in the city, were found in Ekberg's barber shop, each with a bullet hole in the head, Ekberg having shot Brant and then himself.

Charles Ekberg was the Financial Secretary of the I. O. O. F. lodge. He was on intimate terms with all the grand officers of the lodge and held in high esteem by them. He was also a member of the Knights of Pythias and Improved Order of Redmen.

As the newly elected officers were to be installed an Auditing committee was appointed to inspect all the books of the lodge. There was known to be a difference between Ekberg's books and those of Treasurer Ira Boggs, and shortage was thought to exist. The committee, which was composed of John Lebaw, Charles Pugh and J. W. Brant, the murdered man, was to meet yesterday morning in the lodge hall to audit the books.

At about 8 o'clock in the morning Brant left to meet with the Auditing Committee of the I. O. O. F. lodge He walked to the postoffice then went to G. G. Graham's drug store, midway between the News office and the postoffice. There he met Ekberg, who asked him to go into his barber shop next door to look over some stubs he was in possession of. They entered the shop and Ekberg locked the door.

A few minutes after the pair had entered the shop the other members of the auditing committee started for the hall, and at half a square's distance they heard a shot, but it being muffled they mistook its location and went to the hall. They waited till noon, but as neither Grant nor Ekberg came they went to dinner. During the entire afternoon they waited on the men, but as neither appeared they began to be uneasy. Some boys climbed up on a signboard and looked through the transom of the barber shop and declared they saw a man sitting in the barber chair.

Looked Through the Transom.

C. M. Berry, Brant's half brother, appeared on the scene and climbed up and recognized the man in the chair as Brant. The door was forced open and the tragedy discovered.

Brant was sitting in the chair in a perfectly natural position with a bullet hole under the ear, the bullet having entered at the base of the brain, paralyzing his muscles. At his feet lay one of the lodge books which had been in his lap. He wore his hat and overcoat.

Ekberg lay upon four chairs, which he had arranged before the shot himself, but probably after he had killed Brant, with his coat under his head There was a bullet hole in his temple.

Brant leaves a widow and son. Ekberg leaves a widow, daughter and son here and other relatives in Sweden, where he was born.

Left Three Letters.

On Ekberg's body were found three letters. One was addressed to the public and dated January 1. In it Ekberg declared his intention of killing himself because of his financial troubles. He admitted that he was short in his accounts, and that he could not adjust the shortage.

The second letter was written to Harry Wertz, the dead man's best friend. In it he said that he had determined to end his life and that he would "take Brant with him."

To Wertz he admitted his troubles and asked him to settle up his affairs and do the best he could for his family. This letter was dated today. The third letter was addressed to his wife and was not made public.

It has developed that after having shot Brant, Ekberg struck him across the head with a poker, crushing the skull. Then Ekberg evidently replaced Brant's hat, as it sat on his head shading his eyes.

A pathetic incident was enacted when little Charley, son of J. W. Brant, entered the shop, and saw his father lying dead His grief seemed inconsolable.

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DO NOT EXPECT STRIKE

Vote is Now Being Taken by the Brotherhood of Railway

Trainmen of the Pennsylvania Railroad System, But the Result Will Not Be Known for Several Days--Grand Master Morrissey Talks.

Philadelphia, Penn., Jan. 16.—While the Pennsylvania Railroad company and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are virtually deadlocked on propositions looking to an adjustment of differences a strike is not anticipated. Robert Pitcairn, first assistant to President Cassatt, at Pittsburg, has been called East to consult with General Manager Atterbury concerning a settlement of the trainmen's grievances. Numerous conferences have recently been held by Mr. Atterbury and committees representing the trainmen, and as no agreement could be reached the matter was referred back to the Brotherhood for instructions. A vote is now being taken by the men and their decision will not be known for at least a week.

The main grievance of the trainmen is the situation on the division between Harrisburg and Altoona, where the company took an extra firemen from each heavy freight train. This made the work of the forward brakeman heavier. A committee visited the officials of the road and asked that the firemen be returned, but the request was refused

Then they asked to have the pay of the forward brakeman increased. This, too, was refused, and it was then decided to take a vote as to the course to be pursued. The disposition of the Pittsburg men is said to be against a strike

Has No Information.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 16.—Grand Master P. H. Morrissey, of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, said today that he received no information concerning the progress of the vote now being taken by the members of his organization employed on the Pennsylvania system. Mr. Morrissey added that the matter is in the hands of First Vice Grand Master W. G. Lee, who was today in either New York or Philadelphia.

JURY

Trials Seem to Have the Call

TWO WERE DEMANDED THIS MORNING IN THE MAYOR'S COURT.

Joe Miller, proprietor of the vaudeville and saloon on east Wayne street, who was arrested several days ago for violating the closing ordinance and who was to have had a hearing in mayor's court, demanded a jury trial and the hearing was postponed.

Michael Kelly, the colored fellow, arrested for running a quarantine, was to have had a hearing this afternoon, but was not satisfied to take chances with the mayor and demanded a jury trial. The case will be heard January 18th.

The Chrysanthemum Club will meet on Tuesday afternoon instead of Tuesday evening with Mrs. Frank Watmer, 116 south Elizabeth street.

THIRTY

DAYS AT THE WORK HOUSE FOR DRUNKENNESS AND DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Bert Cutlip, arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was arraigned before Mayor Robb this morning and sentenced to 30 days in the Toledo work house.

TOOLS

STOLEN BY ALBERT MADISON TURNED UP BY OFFICER ARMSTRONG THIS MORNING.

Some days ago Albert Madison, a young man, was arrested and bound over to the grand jury on complaint of Mr Gast, a barber on east Spring street, who charged him with having stolen about $20 worth of barber tools. The prisoner was bound over to the grand jury. This morning Sargeant Armstrong was successful in locating the stolen property, finding it under a porch of a residence where Madison has been staying, on south Elizabeth street.

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FAIR AND COLD NEXT TWO DAYS

Little Change in Temperature Predicted by Man in Charge of Weather.

Washington, D. C, Jan. 16—A moderate disturbance from Northern Canada is central over the lower St. Lawrence Valley. The pressure has fallen over the greater portion of the United States, but still continues high. Temperatures continue low over the districts east of the Rocky Mountains, but moderated somewhat during Sunday. There has been no precipitation of consequence except local snows in the lake region.

The weather will be generally fair Monday and Tuesday, except in the northern upper lake region and eastern lake regions, where local snows will continue.

Temperatures will continue comparatively low, but will rise somewhat.

The winds on Lake Michigan will be fresh westerly.

Forecast for Monday and Tuesday

Illinois and Indiana—Fair Monday Tuesday, fair, warmer; variable winds

Kentucky—Fair Monday. Tuesday fair, warmer.

Tennessee—Fair Monday. Tuesday fair; warmer in western portions.

Ohio—Generally fair Monday and Tuesday; fresh southwesterly winds becoming variable.

Lower Michigan—Fair Monday, except snow near the west slope. Tuesday, fair; fresh west to southwest winds, becoming variable.

SOUTH SIDE

For over two weeks a tiny finger ring has been lodged in the throat of the little seven-months-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Charles Shaffer, of east Elm. A few days after Christmas the parents missed the ring from the tot's hand and searched in vain for it. Last Thursday, however, the babe, during a coughing spell, brought to view the tiny gold band which she had partially swallowed, its lodgment in her throat causing a constant irritation and coughing which refused to yield to treatment.

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An important item of the recent business meeting of Grace Epworth League, was the decision to purchase a piano, which will be a most welcome substitution to the time-worn organ now in use in the League room. The cabinet decided on an Epworth Grand instrument, and it is expected that within a week or two the new acquisition will be installed.

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At her spacious home on west Circular street, from 2 to 5 Saturday afternoon, Miss Edna Dean entertained a number of her young friends in honor of her twelfth birthday anniversary. Music, games and excellent refreshments busied the little ladies, and a merry time describes the event. Miss Edna received a number of tokens from her asembled friends, who were Velma Tucker, Geraldine English, Goldie Rumsey, Florence Spyker, Bertha Marguerite Heiser, Ada Ransbottom, Lottie Kepner and Alice Bacome.

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Miss Amelia Barlow will return to her home in Toledo today. She has been the guest of Mrs. Robert Reece, of south Main.

Calvin Schwander is home from Ada, overnight for the day and evening.

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Henry Wellman, of New Knoxville, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. J. C. Mack, of south Central avenue.

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Mrs. Kate Stevenson and children, of Deshler, are the guests of South Side relatives.

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Miss Maxine Ward, of east Vine, will visit her mother in Spencerville over today.

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Mrs. E. R. Nye and son, Maurice, of Chicago, are guests of the J. E. Crider family, of south Main.

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Mrs. J. B. Littler, of Grove avenue, returned yesterday from Jamestown, where she was called ten days ago by her father's illness. She reports her aged parent as much improved.

The Aid Society of the Jefferson street Mission will meet on Tuesday afternoon at one thirty at the home of Mrs. William Huston for work. Let every member be present.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over the body. I am grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwell, Conn.

DID YOU GET ONE.

The beautiful souvenir supplement issued in Saturday's DAILY NEWS occasioned many favorable comments.

A number of extra copies have been procured by the management and any NEWS reader failing to get one can have a copy by calling at this office.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

THE TREASURER'S BOOKS WILL CLOSE JANUARY 20TH. THE OFFICE WILL BE KEPT OPEN TO RECEIVE TAXES ON THE FOLLOWING EVENINGS FROM 7 P. M. TO 9. P. M. VIZ:

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WEDDED

In the Little Church Around

The Corner—Mrs. Ida McKinley Morse Became the Bride.

OF HARRY POWELL COOPER, OF SAN FRANCISCO, HER LITTLE DAUGHTER GAVE HER AWAY TO THE MAN WHO MANAGED HER AFFAIRS.

New York, January 16—Mrs Ida McKinley Morse favorite niece of William McKinley, and namesake and companion of the widow of the late President, slipped away to the Little Church Around the Corner to become the bride of Harry Powel Cooper, of San Francisco.

The only witness of the ceremony were Majorie McKinley Morse, the eight-year-old daughter of the bride, and Colonel H. I. Kowalsky, of California, special representative in this country of King Leopold, of Belgium. Of all the relatives Miss Helen McKinley, an aunt, was the only one notified in advance.

Mrs. Morse has been a widow for six months, her former husband, Geo. C. Morse, having died suddenly, leaving her a comfortable estate. He was a chum and lifelong friend of Harry Cooper, a prosperous bookseller of San Francisco.

On his deathbed he sent for Cooper and asked him in the name of their old friendship to shield and advise his widow. Cooper promised and from that time has been Mrs. Morse's confidential friend and man of business. Cooper is a handsome fellow—tall, athletic and agreeable in his manners. He is a brother of Lieutenant Morse, who was recently killed while fighting in the Philippines.

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The second of a series of ten sermons by Rev. George Wood Anderson, is published in today's issue of the DAILY NEWS.

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SENATOR ANNOUNCES HIS CONVICTION AS TO GOVERNORSHIP AFTER LONG CONFERENCE WITH THE EXECUTIVE.

Columbus Ohio, Jan 15—Senator Chas Dick, after a long conference with Governor Herrick, announced his conviction that the Governor will be renominated by acclamation at the coming state convention.

'The situation as regards the nomination for the Governorship remains unchanged as far as I can see,' said Senator Dick this evening. 'I feel absolutely certain that Governor Herrick will be nominated by acclamation to succeed himself. I am unable to find that there is any opposition to him whatever in the Republican party.

Now is the time to buy Wall Paper and save money at Barth's Wall Paper store, 207 west High street.

Mr J. W. Davis has returned from a business trip to Casey, Illinois.

Miss Amelia Barlow left for her home in Toledo, Sunday, after a pleasant visit with Mrs Robert Reese, of south Main street.

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Following is the second of the series of scientific sermons now being preached by Rev. George Wood Anderson, pastor of the State Street M. E. Church, Troy, New York:

Having noticed the positive teachings of the Bible concerning the existence of an unseen God, the soul naturally asks, "Can and does this unseen One speak to man in terms easily understood and applied to daily life?" In answer to this question the Bible is just as emphatic saying that to each human heart He speaks through the Bible, the life of Christ, and in a still small voice. Through the Bible, "For all scripture is given by inspiration of God." Through Christ, "For God had in these days spoken unto us through His Son." In a still small voice, "Then shalt thou call, and the Lord shall say, here I am."

God's Great Message.

God speaks both through the Bible and to the heart for the same reason that all telegrams are not private. Some messages are for all men, they are received by certain men appointed who publish and scatter them everywhere. Messages of personal nature are not so sent and no man save the one to whom they are directed knows their contents. The Bible is God's great message, sent from the throne, to all men of all ages, in all conditions. While many could not understand the message when it came there were some men of God who, like skilled operators, understood the voice, wrote it down, and scattered it broadcast for all men to read. The Bible truths are life principles that fit into the lives of all men, guiding their thoughts and controlling their actions. But every man needs more than great life principles. No two are absolutely alike in their soul experiences, therefore each man needs his personal message from the lips of God. Messages of comfort in sorrow, of inspiration in discouragement, of council in temptation, which no one save God could speak. That He does thus speak the Bible positively declares. To Adam Eden had added beauty when Jehovah spoke and his voice, like music sounded in his ear. To Abraham, about to sacrifice his son the Divine voice saying, "Touch not the lad," sounded with the sweetness of vesper bells. To Moses, God's voice of council meant more than the music and merriment of the king's palace. The voice of God! Joshua heard it and was filled with good courage. Jacob heard it and went with light feet on good errands. Paul heard it on the Damascus highways and went forward with transformed life. The great life principles are in the Bible uttered by Divine lips they echo from every hilltop so distinctly that all may hear and understand. But in answer to the secret questions, the inner longings, there is a personal message from the lips of God. Samuel was a little lad, lying asleep in his temple home when a voice said: "Samuel! Samuel!" Thinking that Eli, his teacher, had called he ran to the old man's bedside asking what he wished. Hearing that he had not called he went back to his couch. Again he heard his name and again he insisted that his master called, but the old man shook his head and answered, "No." Once more the lad laid down only to be awakened by the self same voice. Then Eli understood the nature of the voice and told its meaning to the boy. With eager heart the boy waited for the voice again, with trembling lips he said: "Speak, for thy servant heareth." Then his first heart message came calling him to a holy life and inspiring him to deeds of valor. God does meet the private needs of each man's life whether it be comfort, inspiration or direction, by speaking a message to his own heart.

Widening Circle of Electric Energy.

This teaching of the Bible that an unseen God spoke to us and permits us to think His thoughts is no more marvelous than the power of man to transmit his thoughts from continent to continent, across lakes and oceans, without the aid of visible conductors; a task performed every day, in every country. By pressing a key exactly like those used by Morse, an electric current is sent from a battery, not to travel on wires, but to generate a spark of fire between two brass knobes. This spark sets in motion in the atmosphere an ever widening circle of electric energy, exactly as the dropping of a stone causes an ever widening circular wave to move steadily toward the shore. Every wave, therefore, of necessity touches every portion of the globe and may be either long or short in duration according to how long the finger presses down the key. These waves follow the curvature of the earth, ever widening and reaching upward, until by constant expanding they lose their identity as the wave from a pebble might lose its force in the ocean. Now, if a metallic plate attached to a wire be lifted up it will break the circle of current as your hand might break the waves of water. Then that portion of the electricity that strikes this non-conducting plate will descend the wire, enter a little glass tube of steel filings, change them from a non-conductor to a conductor, and cause a telegraph instrument to repeat exactly the movement and sound of the instrument pressed by the first operator, though miles and miles away. Thus these unseen waves are carrying mesages through these walls of stone this very hour, stopping not for hill or mountain. Can man employ this silent, mysterious method in transmitting thoughts from mind to mind and then discard the idea of God transmitting His thoughts to man on the ground of their mystery? The God who created electricity to serve us in carrying our thoughts can also convey His thoughts and will to the hearts of men.

Professor Dolbear's Discovery.

Not only does this wireless method of transmitting human thought open to man's comprehension something of the way in which God may speak to man, but it also answers many of the objections urged against the possibility of man communing with the Divine. There was a time when wireless telegraphy was considered contrary to nature. Twenty-two years ago Professor Dolbear, of Tuft's College perfected a system of wireless telegraphy very much like that now used by Marconi. By the aid of kites covered with tin foil to stop the electric waves and convey them to a static telephone receiver, he was enabled to send wireless messages more than a mile distant. Immediately he applied for a patent, but was refused because they said his device was "contrary to science." It was not until Professor Dolbear packed his kites and apparatus and taking them to Washington performed his feat in the presence of inspectors that a patent was granted. Wireless telegraphy "contrary to science!" What was the matter? Their theory of nature was too narrow to admit of a thought. But there came an hour when they saw that this discovery only pointed to a higher law that gave a better interpretation to all science and all nature. Men have denied the possibility of communion with God because it was contrary to science and nature. May not the hour come when they shall see that this communion is only the following of higher spiritual laws than are now known?

Each Soul Has Its Own Key.

At first it was feared by scientists that if one man would send a wireless message that all men might receive it. Modern discovery has removed that fear and it is known today that while a million plates be lifted up to impede the electric current as it rushes on, not one instrument will respond save the one attuned for it. To illustrate: We all know the effect that one tuning fork has over another of like key. No sooner is one struck than its companion responds though many feet away. There may be a thousand others there but none other will respond. So with a wireless message. The wave goes everywhere, but only to the instrument rightly attuned does it whisper its meaning. So with the message that God speaks to men's souls. No two are alike. Each soul has its own key. God understands that and when He speaks he speaks in the corresponding key. Then would His words pass other hearts unknown and reveal its message only to the one for whom it was intended.

Will Pick Out Its Own Message.

Then, too, men feared in wireless telegraphy that there would be a confusion in the messages when more than one was being sent through the air at one time. Later discoveries revealed that this fear was also a needless one. A dozen messages may strike upon the metallic plate at once and this medley of dots and dashes flash down the wire to a dozen instruments attached, and each instrument will pick out its own message and give it to the world without being confused with a single letter of the other messages. Not long since two messages, one in French and one in German, were received on one plate at the same time, disintangled by the instruments, and given to each nation in their own tongue. If man can perform such feats, cannot God see the need of a thousand hearts at once and meet all their needs without confusion?

Awaiting Recognition Sixty Years.

Wireless telegraphy is no new discovery. For many years men have not only believed in it but practiced it to some extent. Sixty-four years ago Steinhall discovered that the earth is an electric conductor, and not only did away with one of the two wires then used in telegraphy but predicted the use of no wire. Sixty-two years ago Morse sent a wireless message across the Susquehanna river, a distance of nearly a mile. And ever since the days of 1843, when Dundee began to send messages across the river Tay, the light house signals have been heralded without wires to the people on the shores. For sixty years this marvelous power has been our own but we recognized it not until Marconi came. So men in all ages have heard and testified of the voice of God. There was John Knox and John Wesley, and Charles Spurgeon and D. L. Moody, and thousands of others who have prayed and heard a voice Divine give answer. They have told that that might be our experience, for as the sun speaks to every bud of the coming summer, as the magnetic current influences every needle that it speaks to us of the northland, so God would speak to every human heart.

Let Us Get Above Earth Currents.

But how may each one of us receive such messages? Exactly as we would receive a wireless message. First get above all earth currents. Marconi's greatest difficulty was to get away from stray electric currents arising from car and dynamo which sprinkled numberless dots and dashes among his signals. To counteract this he used the tube of steel filings, a non-conductor to all save the stronger waves. But this alone did not do so, so he lifted high the metallic plate on kites, ship masts and towers, and there above earth currents his messages came uninterrupted. This old world has a thousand sins, each generating waves of evil influence. No man can clearly hear the voice of God until he lifts himself above these things.

Then, too, to hear Him speak, requires carefulness in little things. The Atlantic steamer Philadelphia lost all her messages on a recent voyage, because a signal halyard had, unobserved, touched a wire and grounded the currents. No man can afford to be careless in regard to his Christian life.

But more than all he must keep in harmony with God. On a bleak December day, on a cliff in Newfoundland, in a little room in an old building, Marconi sat waiting for his first message from across the sea. For days he had been working away unobserved, and now all was ready. From the instrument a little wire ran through the window, and was attached to a kite pulling and tugging overhead. It was now time for his assistant two thousand miles away to send the first signal, three dots, the letter "S." With blanched face he sat motionless until suddenly there was a click of the little hammer against the glass tube and Marconi heard the first letter sent by wireless telegraphy across the ocean. There could be no mistake. He heard it again and again. Leaping to his feet, he was famous for all time.

Get Into Harmony With God.

That message came to this city. The same waves that brought joy and fame and fortune to Marconi swept in their silence over this church. Why did you not receive that message and with Marconi have your name upon all lips. Because you made no preparation, and was not in harmony with the transmitter across the sea. Since you have been sitting here tonight a thousand souls have been in communion with God. They have prayed and have found the forgiveness of their sins, and heard a voice Divine say: "Thy sins which are many are all forgiven thee." Leaping to their feet they rejoiced, free from shackles. The message that spoke peace and pardon to them has been here, why did you not receive the message in your heart? It may be that you are out of harmony with God. If so, get right with Him. Forsake your sins and evil associates, and soon you, too, shall hear God speak. "Then shalt thou call, and the Lord shall answer: thou shalt cry, and He shall say, Here I am."

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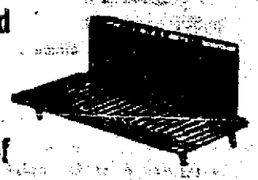

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Missouri isn't happy unless she's lifting the lid off some scandal.

Russia still insists that there is a streak of yellow in the enemy.

The war has already cost Russia $312,500,000. It hasn't been worth it.

Now that Gen. Stoessel has landed in Japan his days of feasting on horse meat are over.

Congress on Saturday passed 459 pension bills in 108 minutes. That beats order No. 78.

Lima has an idea of fumigating its public library. Some of the modern novels need it badly.

When the weather boss tackles his job in earnest he puts the artificial ice factories out of business.

Smoot's witnesses were not as frank about the endowment house melodrama as those of the other side.

"Watering" and then "washing" stocks indicates that there is a laundry business being done in Wall street.

The decision of a French scientist that kissing is beneficial had been generally anticipated by mankind and womankind.

Bankers' Row in the Ohio penitentiary will soon be filled, for 18 bankers have been indicted in Ohio alone. One has already been sentenced to a term of three years.

Now that we understand the situation thoroughly there were 40,000 in the original Port Arthur garrison, 20,000 were killed and 8,000 survived, while 46,000 of these surrendered to General Nogi.

"What the Democratic party most needs today," says Mr. Bryan, "is to be animated by the spirit of Andrew Jackson." This will be welcome news to the spirit of Thomas Jefferson, which can now take a rest.

When winds with icy chills are fraught,
And winter wears his rudest frown,
Oh, bear in mind the pleasing thought
It's colder in some other town.

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"She promises to become a great actress."

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Readers with sensitive imaginations should refrain from perusing those news items about 16 below in Nebraska and twenty-foot snow drifts in Wyoming.

Rev. B. M. Oaks was in Delphos, Sunday.

SECRETARY

Of Lima Defunct Board of Trade

WRITES SOME INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS FOR PUBLICATION.

Lima, Jan. 14, 1905.

Since the Public Square proposition is being agitated as to using it for a traction depot, city hall, etc., you will find attached an article that is somewhat dimmed by age, that I wrote in December, 1900, on this proposition, as well as on other suggestions that would be of benefit to Lima.

One of my newspaper friends advised me at the time, that some of my suggestions were premature, and that we were not in a position at that time to build a garbage crematory. However, in the four years that have elapsed, I have had no reason to change my mind on this suggestion.

It is true that our street railway service has been considerably improved in that time, but I still hold, that the ten minute schedule, and all cars meeting and departing from the Public Square for all parts of the city, would be of great benefit to the traveling public.

If the Public Square is to be utilized as an electric railway station, a good revenue should be derived by the city from the people that have been so liberally taken care of with nice large juicy franchises, for which the city has never received one penny.

We should do everything to encourage the interurban railways; the merchants' great trade getters.

Some Things I Would Like to Know and Some Things I Would Like to See in 1901.

I would like to see the C., H. & D. R. R. Co. pave their street between Wayne street and the P. F. tracks; this would be a great improvement for both the company and the city of Lima.

I would like to see our paved streets swept by hand and always be clean; can't be done any other way.

I would like to see our city council expend about $100 for street signs, so that strangers coming in would know where they are. There is not a city in the Union that is not behind on this very proposition; let's set an example for them by putting nice, plain signs on all street corners.

I would like to see our public square beautified. What would you say to a grand waiting room built over the street car tracks for the accommodation of our city line and our contemplated suburban lines; waiting rooms, something inviting for out of town shoppers; say one story high, roof garden, potted plants, band stand, seating accommodations, fountain in the center of roof, etc.

I would like to know of a town in the country that can show up a better fire department than Lima. I would also like to know of a town in the country that needs a hurry-up wagon, in other words, a patrol system, worse than we do. What do you think?

I would like to see our street railway company adopt a schedule where by all cars arrive at the square at one time and all depart at one time for all parts of the city. A ten-minute schedule would do; time card as follows. Depart from square at 12, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 12:50 and so on, thereby giving the patrons of the road the advantage of knowing the schedule, no matter in what part of the city they may be. For example: Smith lives on west Spring street near Collett, wants to go to C. & E. depot, P. F. depot, south Pine street, north Main street, or Wayne street.

Cars leave for above street at 12:10. Smith knows that if cars leave square at 12:10 it must pass Collett street about 12:05 or 12:06. Smith doesn't have to leave home at 11:30 to get a car; doesn't have to hold up the corner of Collett and Market streets for 20 to 25 minutes.

This holds good for other parts of the city. You can be at McKibben street; at Pine street; at Kibby street; at Metcalf street.

I believe that our present street car company means to give us good service. Why not try the above plan? It is an idea of my own, but is being successfully operated in Canton, where conditions are the same as here.

I would like to see some of our enterprising citizens, men or women raise a fund in some manner and establish free kindergarten schools; say one in South Lima and one in North Lima, together with day nurseries. There are a great number of poor women in Lima with large families, who, if they had an opportunity to have their children cared for during the day, could make a good living. Why not give the poor children the advantages of this early training?

Who will make the move? It will cost about $2,000 per year to maintain two of these schools, each with a day nursery attached.

What do you say and what do you think? Who'll start?

In 1901 I would like to see Lima have a garbage crematory. Wouldn't you?

Yours truly,
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CORONER

Unable to Decide From the Testimony

WHERE TO LAY THE BLAME FOR THE ACCIDENT WHICH CAUSED THE DEATH OF THOMAS BRESSNEHAN.

Coroner Blee has given his verdict in the case of Thomas Bressnehan who met death some time ago at the new water works reservoir.

The testimony was very much confused the coroner says, and he was unable to decide from the statements of the witnesses just where to lay the blame if any there was for the accident. It was said on the one hand that the brakes on the cut of cars on the siding that night had all been set, while on the other hand as many witnesses testified that this was not the case. If the brakes were set as they should have been it is held that the Pennsylvania company would have been guilty of carelessness in striking them hard enough to force them into the tent where the water works employes were sleeping. If the brakes were not set in a propper manner, the responsibility would lie with the construction gang or who ever had these particular cars in charge at the time they were placed on the siding. Following is the text of the coroner's finding:

"I find that the deceased came to his death by being crushed under the wheels of an engine used in the construction of the water works for the city of Lima. I find that the Pennsylvania, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad engine No. 7279, by intervening cars, pushed six empty cars from a point of elevation in the track where they had been placed December 30, 1904, by employes of the water works reservoir for the city of Lima.

"The cars moved with sufficient force to drive the engine from the engine house over about 40 feet of ground, carrying into the tent and over the body of Thomas Sullivan Bressnehan, a post which had been placed in the ground at the end of the track."

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"A GREAT GIFT."

The subject of the morning service conducted by J. N. Scholes, pastor of the Wayne Street Church of Christ, asisted by Mr. Elstum and a fine choir. Mr. Elstum rendered the selection "It Must Be Told" in a most pleasing manner. "The Open Love" the subject of the evening, was discussed to a well filled house and all present enjoyed the thoughts presented as shown by the attention given the speaker. The special music and chorus work invite your attention. Mr. Elstum, of Indianapolis, leads in this work. Services every evening this week except Saturday at 7:45 o'clock. Subject tonight "The Seen and the Unseen." A welcome is extended to all.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society will be held with Mrs. Rial Truesdale, 718 west High, Wednesday, January 18, at 2:30. Secretary. 12-3t

TWO

Damage Suits, Each for $10,000, Filed.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH OF CONDUCTOR HARTER RECALLED—HAND CRUSHED IN A PRINTING PRESS.

Two damage suits, each for $10,000, were filed in the clerk's office Saturday afternoon—one by the administrator of the Thomas Harter estate and the other by Ida L. Taylor, who claims she got her hand squeezed in a printing press. She values her hand at the same figure as the price set on the life of Mr. Harter.

Mr. Harter was a conductor and was killed on the night of November 28, 1903, near Medina, in a collision which resulted from his backing a cut of cars on a "Y" connecting the Northern Ohio, L. E. & W. and Big Four railroads. His widow, Jeanie Harter, who was made administrator of the estate, says in her petition that the blame for the accident was wholly with the roads first mentioned in not providing suitable switch lights at the "Y." Deceased was not acquainted with the position of the tracks at that point, not having been employed on that section very long, and consequently was not able to know that he was so close to a fatal collision. Plaintiff asks for $10,000 damages.

Ida Taylor says she was employed by Adolph Weixelbaum to feed a printing press. She claims she was not aware of the hazard of her occupation, nor was she informed by her employer. As a result of her inexperience, and ignorance, she managed to get her hand caught in the machine. The accident lacerated the muscles and tendons terribly, she says, and left her a cripple for life. She also wants damages to the amount of $10,000.

Deeds Filed.

Delphos Foundry Co. to William Burger, lot in Marion township, $150.

Same to C. H. Mosier, lot 686 in Marion township, $150.

Samuel Jessup to William Hagerman, part of lot 3004 in Kiby's sub-division to Lima, $1,60.

William Burger to Mary C. Burger, lot in Delphos, $1,000.

S. H. Sellers and wife to H. C. Settage, lots 3683, 3684 and 3685 in Lima, $500.

CURE FOR KIDNEYS.

Do Not Endanger Life and Health When a Cure Is So Easy.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness and stiffness in the back, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work. That Doan's Kidney Pills cure and cure permanently is proven in a Lima citizen's statement.

If you have any, even one, of the numerous symptoms of kidney disease, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in and death results. Read this testimony:

L. Van Pelt, shoemaker, at 121 south Union street, Lima, O., says: "Time has only served to increase my appreciation of the value of Doan's Kidney Pills as a kidney medicine. In a statement made in 1896 I told how this remedy, procured at Wm. M. Melville's drug store, freed me from attacks of backache which extended clear up to my shoulder blades and lameness through the loins. In order that residents of Lima might know that I was sincere I confirmed my testimony in 1898, and am glad to still further strengthen the statement with evidence which lapse of time can only furnish."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Read DAILY NEWS want ads.

CLEARANCE. BLUEM'S CLEARANCE.

Our January Sale

Is proving an event in the matter of a quick disposition of seasonable goods; chances to get values such as we are offering don't come every day, and it takes a customer a very short time to make a decision when our prices are quoted. We can note only a partial list of bargains that will make the coming days as busy as the past ones.

Ladies' Suits.

Lot No. 1 is of Eton and blouse jackets in colors and black, walking length skirts, full assortment of sizes, suits that were $12.50 to $25.

Clearance Price $5

Lot No. 2 is of plain and fancy cloths in colors and black, 22 to 30 inch jackets, walking length skirts, many were $25 suits,

Clearance Price $10

All our velvet suits in jacket and blouse effects, are offered at

Clearance Price One-Half

All other suits in the stock are specially priced and liberally discounted.

Dress Skirts.

Our broadcloth, cheviot, venetian and all popular cloths at special prices, some 1-3 less, some 1-2 less, and some less than 1-2 of regular value. All our voils, twine and etamine dress skirts, price $12.50 to $25.00.

Clearance Price One-Fourth Less

Walking Skirts.

Special lot of walking skirts, $2.98, $3.98 and $4.98. All other walking skirts

Clearance Price One-Fourth Less

Ladies' Cloth Coats.

All black and colors that range in price from $5 to $37.50, including the "Wooltex" Coats at

Clearance Price One-Half

Children's Coats.

All coats for children of 6 to 12 years, zibeline, kersey, cheviot and all go at

Clearance Price One-Half

Fur Coats.

Any fur coat in the stock will be sold from the regular value.

Clearance Price One-Third Less

Fur Scarfs

And Sets, separate muffs, children's sets, ties and throws, at

Clearance Price One-Half

Dressing Sacques.

Bath Robes and Kimonas; all of the celebrated "Comfort" garments, in tery, eiderdown and Swiss eider.

Clearance Price One-Fourth Less

Cloth Waists.

All this season's designs, and of ladies' cloth, challie, flannel and velvet, at

Clearance Price 1-3 and 1-4 Less

Capes.

All cloth and plush capes, some braided, some fur trimmed, some plain, ranging in price from $5 to $25.

Clearance Price One-Fourth Less

G. E. BLUEM,

221-223 North Main Street.

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Suit House.

GAME

OF BASKET BALL TONIGHT AT THE AUDITORIUM WILL BE AN INTERESTING ONE.

Ralph Shaw, who is a member of the White Star basket ball team, is a member of the high school squad, and in the game this evening at the Auditorium Shaw will captain the latter in an effort to take a fall out of the so far invincible White Stars. The high school lads are a fast bunch and no doubt will give the White Stars the hardest fight they have had this season. Followers of the sport look for a snappy and exciting struggle. The line up of the two teams will be:

White Stars.	High School.
Griffiths	DeVoe
Left Forward.	
Witmer	Shaw
Right Forward.	
Laudick	Jackson
Center.	
Klump	Driver
Left Guard.	
Winemiller	Simpson
Right Guard.	

LIMA BOWLERS DEFEATED.

[Van Wert Times.]

"A team of Van Wert bowlers won by a score of 2460 to 1822 from a Lima team, last night at Baxter's. Bickford, Kelm, Stiggers, Jones and Collett were the Van Wert players, while Neff, Harmon, Maxwell, Deis and Hayes composed the Lima team. J. A. Stiggers bowled the highest—187, 193 and 171, a total of 551.

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Religious System of Health and Life.
Originated by Jesus Christ.
And now Revived and Established on Earth.
State and United States Charters.
For curing every disease of body and soul and saving from sin, sickness and death.

Rev. T. Thatcher, M. V. D., Minister of Life,
Higher Graduate of the American Health College,
and Healing Apostle.
Teaches, Cleanses, Purifies, and Prepares all for the Higher Power that heals all who are ready.
N. E. Corner McKibben and Jefferson streets, Lima, Ohio.
Where everybody is invited to come.
Sick treated at Homes for a reasonable donation to the cause.

"After the game they were escorted to Calvin Bros.' cafe, where an elegant banquet was served in 26 plates. From one end of the table a ball covered with carnations was connected with a row of green ferns to the other end, where sat a tenpin also decorated with white carnations. After the banquet they returned on the ten o'clock electric car, well pleased with the time they spent in this city."

The Van Wert team will come to Lima tonight and play a picked five.

Monarch over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

DID YOU GET ONE.

The beautiful souvenir supplement issued in Saturday's DAILY NEWS occasioned many favorable comments.

A number of extra copies have been procured by the management and any NEWS reader failing to get one can have a copy by calling at this office.

You will get better work now than in the busy spring. Now's the time to buy. Barth's Wall Paper, 207 west High street.

MANGLED

HIS ARM IN A CORN SHREDDING MACHINE—DEPLORABLE ACCIDENT AT KEMPTON SATURDAY EVENING.

Elam Greer, a young man thirty years of age had his right hand caught in a corn shreding machine at Kempton Saturday evening and the member was so badly mangled that amputation was necessary between the wrist and elbow. The injured man was taken to his sister's home in Allentown.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema, or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

The Lima new up-to-date Catering Co. will serve you parties, receptions, wedding banquets in the latest styles. Table setters and decorators. We have all experienced cooks and waiters for all occasions. We hope that you will give us your work. Call for us at Lima House.
The Gilliam and Thomas Catering Co.

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LIMA'S BONDED DEBT OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

eard of Sinking Fund Trustees Will Present Their First Annual Report to Council Tonight—Report States That There is no Way of Reducing the One Million Dollar Debt Except by Paying Some of It—Council Asked to Go Slow for Several Years to Come—The Report in Full.

Lima, Ohio, December 31, 1904.

the Honorable City Council, Lima, Ohio:

Gentlemen:—Section 106 of the Municipal Code provides that the Board Sinking Fund Trustees shall make a detailed statement to your honorable y each year, covering all the transactions in the matters they are connected h. In this, our first annual report, we propose to set forth in detail, and ment thereon, the exact financial condition of the city, so far as it relates he bonded debt and also any other matters pertaining directly thereto. se matters cannot be given too much attention and study and we respect- y request that each and every one of you take it upon himself to thorough- onsider the conditions hereinafter set forth. This report will appear in the ted yearly financial report of the city, as the law requires, and should be rred to constantly to remind us of "where we are at."

REGULAR SINKING FUND.

fund created for the care of the general city bonds and interest, which are to be met by general taxation, and also to provide for a gradual extinguish- ment of the same.)

Schedule "A."

Credits.		
h on hand January 1st, 1904		$ 5,504.76
Receipts.		
m general taxation	$ 58,029.39	
m Lima water works	4,000.00	
m interest on investments	923.29	
m interest on fund in depository	2,675.51	
rent, G. A. R hall	20.00	
m City Auditor, fees for transfering bonds	1.60	
m city treasurer, par on temporary loans	4,901.47	
m Harris & Co., premium on securities	78 53	
m Harris & Co, accrued interest on securities	75.00	
Total receipts		$ 70,704.79
Total credits		76,209.55
ebits. Expenditures		
eneral city bonds redeemed	$ 14,000.00	
erest paid on general city bonds	36,092.50	
City Treasurer, par on temporary loans	4,001.47	
City Treasurer, par on small pox note	800.00	
City Treasurer, par on Reg. fund bonds, (an investment	1,500.00	
City Treasurer, par Circular street paving bonds, (an investment)	3,878.16	
nklin Printing House, stationery	4.25	
erican Surety Co, premium on member's bond	9.00	
slow Lanier & Co, commission on water works bonds	23.00	
Total expenditures		$ 61,208 38
Cash on hand December 31st, 1904		15,001.17
otal debits		$ 76209.55

000 additional redeemed through Public Service fund.

PRESENT WORTH OF THE REGULAR SINKING FUND.

Schedule "B."

ular street paving bonds, par	$ 3,878.16
rest accrued on Circular street paving bonds	193 90
ular fund bonds, par	1,500.00
rest accrued on regular fund bonds	16.87
llpox note, par	800.00
rest accrued on smallpox note	32.00
rest due from First National bank, depository	1,519.46
h on hand December 31st, 1904	15,001.17
Total	$ 22,941.50

GENERAL CITY BONDS OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1904.

Schedule "C"

r works bond	$188,000.00
hine shop bonds, refunding	100,000 00
er bonds	84,000.00
ding Bonds	160,500.00
department building bonds	6,000.00
ket place bonds	3,000.00
otal	841,500.00
otal general city bonds outstanding.	
ember 31, 1903	859,500.00
ecrease for the year	$18,000.00

VY SHEET FOR THE SINKING FUND, INCLUDING THE BONDS TO BE SOLD JANUARY 2, 1905.

Schedule "D."

r	Amounts to be levied for. Bonds.	Interest.
	$29,000.00	$34,866.25
	29,000.00	33,351.25
	28,000.00	32,036.25
	28,000 00	30,761.25
	28,000.00	29,486.25
	13,000.0	28,521.25
	23,000.00	27,986.25
	23,000.00	27,051.25
	23,000.00	26,116.25
	23,000.00	25,181.25
	161,000.00	21,370.33
otal	$408,000.00	$316,727.83
otal to be levied for	$724,727.83	

SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT FUNDS

that have, or have had, special assessment bonds outstanding.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS.

Schedule "E."

cial assessment bonds outstanding Dec. 31, 1903,	$383,680.91
assmt. bonds due, but not presented for payment	1,338 00
otal December 31, 1903	$385,018.91
assmt. bonds issued in 1904	3,878.16
otal	$388,897.07
cial assmt. bonds paid during 1904	56,362 79
assmt. bonds outstanding Dec. 31, 1904	331,834.28
ecrease in spl. assmt. bonds outstanding	53,184.63

*Yearly balance sheet of special improvement funds that have, or have had cial assessment bonds outstanding.

Schedule "F."

ebits.		
standing orders December 31, 1903		$ 2,600.00
imp. funds overpaid by treasurer Dec 31, 1903,		15,607.34
xpenditures		
cial assessment bonds redeemed	$56,962.79	
rest paid on special assessment bonds	15,633.13	
l contractor for grading	134.74	
l contractor for paving	17,830.05	
rest paid on outstanding orders	302.00	
otal expenditures		90,862.71
ransfers.		
eneral fund account of legal advertising	15.29	
special imp. funds to apply on city's portion of improvements and special assessment bonds	38,551.51	
otal transfers		38,566.80
Funds showing cash on hand Dec. 31, 1904		15,864.27
Total debits		$163,501.02
Credits.		
Funds showing cash on hand Jan. 1, 1904		$ 28,568.29
Receipts.		
From general levy in sinking fund to apply on city's portion of special improvements and assessment bonds	$38,686.25	
Special assessments collected	46,371.38	
Par value spl. assmt. bond sales	3,878.16	
Total receipts		88,935.79
Transfers.		
To special imp. funds to apply on city's portion of improvements and bonds		38,531.51
Spl. imp. funds overpaid by treas. Dec. 31, 1904		7,445.43
Total credits		$163,501.02

*The schedule given above is the totals of the annual balance sheet of the special improvement funds, controlled by the Sinking Fund Trustees. Each improvement fund will be shown separate in the annual report to be published.

THE AMOUNT THE CITY OWES ON SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS AND WHICH IS TO BE LEVIED FOR YEARLY.

Schedule "G."

Balance due at the end of 1904 and previous thereto	$ 17,831.43
Due in 1905	16,935.81
Total	$ 34,767.24
Less levy made for 1905	20,000.00
Balance due at the end of 1905	14,767.24
Amount due in 1906	16,168.29
Amount due in 1907	15,545.67
Amount due in 1908	14,429.95
Amount due in 1909	10,941.25
Amount due in 1910	9,572.83
Amount due in 1911	7,297.57
Amount due in 1912	3,405.22
Amount due in 1913	2,798.58
Deficiency as shown in schedule "H"	14,839.76
Total	$109,766.46

The following schedule (H) was made up by taking each of the 26 special improvement funds which are being carried on our ledger and arranging them under the heads as given below. The audit was made to ascertain which of the 26 funds would have a surplus or deficiency at the end of the assessment paying period so that the deficiency, if any, could be added to the city's portion:

Schedule "H."

Debits.	
a—Actual cost of the special improvements, not including interest on bonds	$ 583,071.76
b—Special assessment bonds and interest payable	687,736.08
c—Surplus returnable on certain improvements at the completion of assessment paying periods	1,645.06
Total	$1,272,452.90
Credits.	
d—Proceeds of special assessment bond sales, par, premium and accrued interest	$ 574,395.89
e—Assessments receivable from property owners including interest	513,983.77
f—Penalties receivable from assessments placed on tax duplicate for collection (partially estimated)	3,408.75
g—City's regular share, remititures allowed by Council, and interest included	165,824 83
h—Deficiencies in various funds caused by not collecting interest on first assessments, by paying "extras" after the assessing ordinance was passed, interest on bond issues over the cost of the improvement and other "irregularities"	14,839.66
Total	$1,272,452.90

Schedule "I."

	Total Bonded Debt.	Increase.	Decrease
Mar. 31, 1897	$ 498,500.00		
Mar. 31, 1898	566,600.00	$ 68,100.00	
Mar. 31, 1899	703,750 00	137,150.00	
Mar. 31, 1900	817,200.00	113,450.00	
Mar. 31, 1901	867,750.00	50,550.00	
Dec. 31, 1902	1,002,909.00	135,159.00	
Dec. 31, 1903	1,244,518.91	241,672.91	
Dec. 31, 1904	1,173,334.28		$71,184.63

MUNICIPAL INDUSTRIES THAT HAVE BONDS OUTSTANDING.

The Lima Water Works.

(not including the special extension now being made on Fetter lands.)

Schedule "J."

Receipts from all sources during year of 1904		$42,938.33
Operating and maintaining	$23,884.66	
Extension of pipe system, etc.	4,335.05	
Transferred to sinking fund to apply on water bonds and interest	4,000.00	
Balance of receipts in year	10,718.62	
Total		$42,938.33
Interest charges on water bonds during 1904		20,650.00
Amound paid by water works on interest charges	$ 4,000.00	
Balance receipts on hand Dec. 31, 1904	10718 62	
Total		$14,718.62
Deficiency in revenue to meet interest charges after paying all expenses		$ 5,931.38

THE CENTRAL MARKET.

Schedule "K."

Receipts from general levy	$1,300.73	
Ordinary stall rents, etc., collected by Market Master	1,340.10	
Total		$2,640.83
Ordinary operating expenses	1074.76	
Extraordinary expenses, building, etc.,	610.11	
Total		1,684.87
Excess of receipts for the year		$ 955.96

"K 1."

Collections at market	$1,340.10
Ordinary running expenses	1,074.76
Excess of receipts	$ 265.34

"K 2."

Total expenditures at market	$1,684.87
Market place bond and interest paid	1080.00
Total	$2,764.87
Collections at market house	$1,340.10
Necessary to be raised by taxation to meet all costs of market	1424.77
Total	$2,764.87

SHOWING DISPOSITION OF 10 MILL LEVY FOR THE YEAR OF 1904.

Schedule "L."

Sinking fund levy of 10 mills in 1904:		
6 mills for regular sinking fund raised	$58,029.39	
4 mills to appy on spl. improvement debt	38,686.25	
Total amount raised by 10 mills levy		$96,715.64
General city bonds and interest paid	$50,092.50	
Paid on city's portion of spl. imp. debt	38,686.25	
Total expenditures	$88,778.75	
Amount to balance	7,937.89	
Total		$96,716.64
Balance from above	$ 7,937.89	
Bonds and interest coupons due, but not presented for payment	$1019.25	
Bonds and int. due Jan. 1st, '05	2600.00	
Total	$ 3,619.25	
Balance left for the gradual extinguishment of bonded debt	$ 4,318.64	

The foregoing schedules cover the various matters we are interested in, and they are introduced herein for the purpose of showing your honorabe body the burden we took charge of in our installation in office, and what we are compelled by law to provide for.

Commenting on the various schedules:

Schedule "A" shows that the total expenses (office) were $13.25, and that we received $923.29 on our investments. In schedules "A" and "B" it will be found that the city will receive from the First National Bank the sum of $4194.91 as interest on deposits made by the city, and we cannot resist the temptation to say that this is quite a contrast to the method of former years in which the city expended from one to seven thousand dollars a year by paying interest on its floating debt. The item * $4000 additional redeemed through the Public Service Fund in schedule "A" was caused by, when the Board of Public Service took their office, there was $4000 worth of floating paper outstanding against the Street Fund (one of their funds at that time) and the council refunded and took up the paper by issuing $4000 in refunding bonds. The Board of Public Service during this year caused that issue of $4000 to be taken up and cancelled, and they turned over $4000 of their funds to take the place of the bonds.

Schedules "D" and "G" are "prima facie" evidence of our real burden. The total of these two schedules show that $834,494 29 must be raised by the Sinking Fund in 10½ years. This would average a rate during that period, and at the same tax valuation we now have, of over eight mills a year. Our difficulty at present, though, is caused by the city heretofore in not taking care of its special improvement debt during the last five or six years, and we must now levy to even up and have funds on hand with which to meet our obligations. The present worth of the regular sinking (schedule "B") is $22,941.50, the credit balance of the special assessment funds as shown in schedule "F" is $8418.84 and adding this amount to our regular sinking fund worth shows that our total resources at the end of the year is $31,360.34. On January 1, 1905, (the next day after this resource balance is made) there is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer, bonds and interest coupons to the extent of $41,500. Thus you will see that at the end of a year in which we received the proceeds of a ten mill levy and adding all the other revenue we received to it, there is a deficiency of $10,000 and more. Now by turning to schedule "G" it will be found that the city owes on its special improvements at the end of 1904, the sum of $17,831.43, which if we had would more than enable us to take care of our bonds and interest coupons due on January 1st, 1905, without imposing on the City Treasurer's generosity by allowing him to take up our obligations with other city funds and taking his chances on our being able to relieve him. The sinking Fund rate should have remained at 10 mills for two years longer, to enable us to do business proper, but we listened to the taxpayers and cut it to 8 mills for 1905, and in doing so we are taking a chance on being able to carry the city's debt through without default, and we wish to say further that we cannot do it, if your honorable body issues any bonds which must be taken care of in part during the next year

Schedule "I" is the only one of the list that we "point to with pride." No comment on it is necessary unless an explanation is made as to the cause of the decrease. We believe it was done by the new code changing the method of transacting municipal affairs and the "formulas" for getting around the new system have not as yet been devised.

Schedules "J" and "K" deal with our municipal industries which have bonds outstanding and taking schedule "K" first, our connection therewith is made by law as follows:

"Section 216, M. C., paragraph 5—All rentals and other revenue received by any city from any public building for the construction of which bonds are outstanding, or from any other public building of the same character, shall be placed to the credit of the Sinking Fund and shall be applicable to the payment of the principal and interest of any bonds issued by such city for the construction of such building, including the purchase of lands."

"Section 112, M. C.,—The trustees of the sinking fund shall collect all rents due the corporation and invest the same as other funds; they shall have power to investigate all transactions involving or affecting the sinking fund in any branch or department of the municipal government.

It is shown in schedule "K" that the collections at the market house during the year was $1340.10. There are bonds outstanding for its construction, and it is shown in the foregoing sections of the statutes, the whole amount collected belongs to our account, and notice is herewith served on the Board of Public Service that we will proceed to take that amount from the Market House account immediately after the next distribution of the general levy. (Feb. 20th, 1905.

The Lima Water Works, schedule "J."—This municipal industry will have after January 2nd, 1905, an outstanding bonded indebtedness of $513,000.00. It has been accumulating since 1880. As a city, we have never paid a penny on the original cost of its construction, but we have paid over $300,000 interest on its bonds. It will be seen that at the end of the year there is an excess of receipts over expenditures amounting to $10,718.62. The following quotation from the statutes says what may be done with this surplus:

"Section 2412, R. S., (disposition of surplus). If there be any surplus, after paying the expenses of conducting and managing the water works, the same may be applied to repairs, enlargement or extension of the works, or of the reservoirs, the payment of the interest of the loan made for their construction or for the creation of a sinking fund for the liquidation of the debt."

For some years past, the Lima Water Works, has applied $10,000 yearly on its interest charges. During the last year we received but $4000, and was informed that the surplus at the end of the year is to be used in making up the deficiency between the cost of constructing the extension on the Fetter lands and the bond issue of $175,000. This may be proper as it will save the interest on the additional $10,000 in issuing bonds that would have been required but for the sake of a better showing of the plant it would have been better to have issued the bonds and turned the $10,000 into the sinking fund.

There is due in 1906, and each year thereafter for five years, $10,000 of water works bonds, and we have hoped that the water works would be able to take care of these, but with the increased expenditures in running the extension, the prospects for the plant to take up these bonds are not very bright.

In connection with our municipal water works, the point is often made, that if the fire department, schools, etc., would pay for the water they used our water works would be self supporting. We beg to indulge in a little more law:

Section 181 a-3.—Separate accounts shall be kept by each department, public improvement, institution and public service industry.

Continued on seventh page.

PERSONALS

Miss Sarah Tigner who has been visiting for two months with her sister, Mrs. Perry Seaburn, of New York City, has returned to her home in this city.

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Mr. Edgar Bell, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bell, of west Market street, returned yesterday to his work in Philadelphia.

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Mrs Lenore Evans Crumrine will go to Gomer tomorrow to assist in an entertainment to be given there.

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Miss Hazel White is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. George Moore, in Michigan.

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Mrs. Dr. Bannister has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Chambers, of Covington, Ky

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Mrs. S. B. Floeter, of "The Steiner" is enjoying a visit from her nephew, Harry Emerson, of Leamington, Canada.

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Mrs. George L. Southard will leave the early part of this week for Haverhill, Mass., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe, before going to her new home in Oklahoma.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. T .Mitchell are entertaining their granddaughter, Miss Mayme Blair, of Ft. Wayne.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stein are visiting Miss Julia Herb, in Toledo.

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Silas Jones, of Montpelier, India is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones.

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Orville Keily is the guest of Delphos friends.

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Harmon Bussert is enjoying a visit among Delphos friends.

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Miss Clary Frey has returned to New York to resume her studies in music under Prof. Savage.

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Miss Florence Williams, of Jeffersonville, Ohio, is visiting her uncle, M. J. Sanford and family, of west Market street.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tolan have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reul, at Delphos.

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William Jameson, who is in the oil fields in Indiana, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

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Superintendent Cory, of the C., H. & D., reached home Saturday from a several days' trip to Dayton, Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Peru.

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Mr. and Mrs. Everett Furnas, of the Phoenix flats, spent Sunday with friends in Dayton.

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M. O. Gates, proprietor of the Allen County Club, is in Mansfield enjoying a visit with old home friends.

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R. W. Argue, the oil man, left this afternoon for Indian Territory to look after his oil interests.

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J. W. Davis and wife left today for Hot Springs, to be gone several weeks.

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Manager Chew, of the Hayner liquor store, accompanied by his wife and son, William, are visiting in Dayton.

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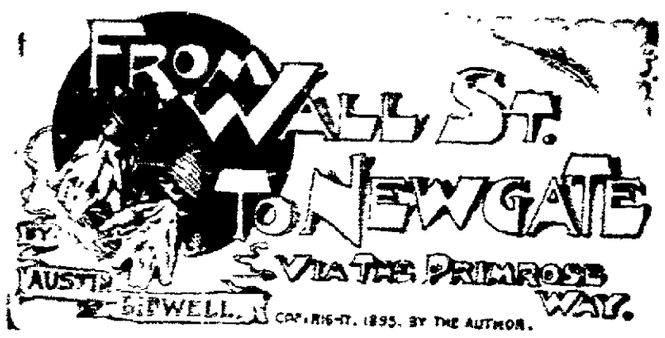

and minute had come for me to decide—either for madness and a convict's dishonored grave, or to keep the promise I had made to my friends—never to give in, but to live and conquer fate.

I determined then and there to live in the future, and never to dwell on the horrible present or past. Then I remembered the last scene in Newgate and my promise to accompany my friends step by step, day by day, in our readings. Finding a Bible on the little rusty iron shelf in the corner, and this being the fourth day of our sentence, I turned to the fourth chapter. It gives the story of Cain's crime and punishment, and I read the graphic narrative with an intensity of interest difficult to describe. When I read: "And Cain said unto the Lord: My punishment is greater than I can bear. Behold, thou hast driven me out this day from the face of the earth!" I felt that the cry of Cain in all its intense naturalness, in its remorse and despair, was my own, and I was overcome. Laying the book down, I walked the floor for an hour in agony, until fantastic images came througing thick and fast to my brain. I realized that my mind was going and felt I must do something to make me forget my misery.

I opened the Bible at random, and my eye caught the word "misery." I looked closely at the verse and read:

Thou shalt forget thy misery and remember it as waters that pass away.

I threw the book down, crying with vehemence: "That's a lie! God never gives something for nothing." Soon I opened the book again and looked at the context. Those of my readers who care to do so can do the same. The verse is Job xi. 16. The context begins at verse 13. From that hour I never despaired again.

The same day I began committing the book of Job to memory and worked for dear life and reason. I became interested, and my interest in that wondrous poem deepened until the study became a passion. Thus I turned the whole current of my thoughts into a new channel. Relief came back, and with a resolution and courage and strength I spent 20 years in that little stone dungeon. For 20 years I never saw a star, nor for 15 years the face of a woman or of a child.

I awoke to find myself shaven and shorn.

That is, from my early manhood, when the heart beats fast and the blood runs warmly in the veins—through all that fearful gap of time filled to the brim with the peltings of a pitiless storm. Twelve months in solitude, then for 19 years toiling in the mud in a swamp, hunger driven under the summer's burning sun, or, thinly clad, exposed to all the blizzards and whirling storms of winter. And never again for a single moment after that first Sunday did I know what it was to fear or despair.

I was in Pentonville prison in the suburbs of London. All men convicted in England are sent to this prison to undergo one year solitary confinement. At the completion of the year they are drafted away to the public works prisons, where, working in gangs, they complete their sentences.

Of my experience in Pentonville during my year of solitude it suffices to say that, passing through a great deal of mental conflict, I found I had grown stronger, and was eager for transfer to the other prison, where I could for a few hours each day at least look on the sky and the faces of my fellow men.

At last the day of transfer came, and escorted by two uniformed and armed warders I was taken to the famous Chatham prison, 27 miles from London on the river Medway.

"You were sent here to work, and you will have to do it, or I will make you suffer for it," was the friendly greeting that fell on my ears as I stood before a pompous little fellow, an ex major of the army, at Chatham prison one lovely morning in 1874.

I had arrived there under escort but an hour before, strong in the resolve to obey the regulations if I could and never to give in if I had a fair chance; also with a desperate resolve never to submit to persecution, come what might, and these resolutions saved me, but only by a steady and dogged adherence to them on the many occasions, through many years and amid surroundings that might well make me, as it did and does many good men, desperate and utterly reckless.

After a few more remarks of a very personal and pungent nature the little fellow marched off with a delicious swagger and a heroic air that had a powerful effect upon—the warder who had me up for inspection. I at once turned to the warder, and asked, "Who is that little fellow?" "The governor," he gasped out. "If he had only heard you!" and then followed a pantomime that implied something very dreadful. Then I marched off to the doctor and next to the chaplain, who, knowing who I was, asked me if I could read and write, to which I meekly replied, "Yes, sir," but apparently being doubtful upon the point he gave me a book. Asking me to read an account of the battle of Agincourt, in a solemn tone of voice I said, "When time and place adhere, write me down as an ass." He took the book from me, looked at the open page, gazed solemnly in my face with a funny wagging of his head, as much as to say, "You will come to no good," and followed the little major.

Then my cicerone took me into the main building, filled up to the brim with what seemed to be little brick and stone boxes, and halting in front of one said: "This is your cell. You must keep your tinware clean and bright and keep your bed and bedding and your cell in perfect order at all times."

Looking around to see if it was safe to talk, he began to question me rapidly about my case, and getting no satisfaction he wound up the questioning with the remark, "Well, you tried to take all our money over to America;" then, becoming confidential, he told me what wicked fellows the other prisoners were, chiefly because they went to the governor and reported the officers, charging them with maltreatment and bullying particularly and knocking them about generally. Of course the warders never did such things, but were really of a very lamblike and gentle nature. In order to back up their lies the prisoners would knock their own heads against the walls, and then swear by everything good that some one of the warders had done it. I said perhaps he had.

Well, he said, perhaps an officer might give a man "a little clip," but never so as to hurt him, and "only in fun, you know." I felt at the time that I would never learn to appreciate Chatham "fun," but on the very next day I was convinced of it when a man named Farrier pulled out from his waistband a piece of rag, and, unrolling it, produced two of his front teeth, with the information that a certain warder, Soden, had struck him with his fist in the mouth and knocked them out. After many "wise saws and modern instances" he locked me up in the little brick and stone box and departed, having first informed me that I "would go out to labor in the morning."

I looked about my little box with a mixture of curiosity and consternation, for the thought smote me with blinding force that for ten years at least that little box—8 feet 6 inches in length, 8 feet in height and 5 feet in width, with its floor and roof of stone—would be my only home—would be, must be, and no power could avert my fate.

On the small iron shelf I found a tin dish used by some previous occupant and smeared inside and out with gruel. There being no water in my jug, when the men came in for dinner I, in my innocence, asked one of the officers for some water to wash the dish. He looked at me with great contempt and said, "Will you have it hot or cold?" "Oh, cold, please!" He went away, but soon came back again and said: "You are a precious flat. Lick it off, man. Before long you won't waste gruel by washing your tin dish. You won't be here many days and want to use water to clean your pint."

After dinner I saw the men marched out to labor, and was amazed to see their famished, wolfish looks—thin, gaunt and almost disguised out of all human resemblance by their ill fitting, mud covered garments and mud splashed faces and hands. I myself was kept in and marched about by my old friend "Nosy" to the shops and stores for clothing, boots, etc. But the weary, almost ghastly specter march I had witnessed constantly haunted me, and I said, "Will I ever resemble them?" And youthful spirit and pride rushed to the front and cried, "Never!"

Night and supper—eight ounces of brown bread—came at length, and I rose up from my meal cheerful and resolute to meet the worst, be it what it might short of deliberate persecution, with a stout heart and faith that at last all would be well.

In the morning I arose, had my breakfast—nine ounces of brown bread and a pint of gruel—and was eager to learn what this "labor" meant. I was prepared for much, but not for the grim reality. I had been ordered to join party 83—a brickmaking party, but working in the "mud districts." So we, along with 1,200 others, marched out to our work, and as soon as we were outside of the prison grounds I saw a sight that, while it explained the mud splashed appearance of my spectral army, was enough to daunt any man doomed to join in the game. Mud, mud everywhere, with groups of weary men with shovel, or shovel and barrow, working in it. A sort of road had been made over the mud with ashes and cinders, and our party of 83 men, with five other parties, moved steadily on for about a mile until we came to the clay banks or pits. Fortunately we had a very good officer of the name of Janes. He wanted the work done, and used his tongue pretty freely. Still he was a man who would speak the truth and treated his men as well as he dared to do under the British regime ruling in Chatham. He speedily told me off to a barrow and spade, and I was fully enlisted as barrow and spade man to her majesty.

A steam mill or "pug" like a monster coffee mill was used for mixing the clay and sand and delivering it in form of bricks below, where another party received them and laid them out to dry preparatory to burning. Our duty was "to keep the pug going"—keep it full of clay to the top. The clay was in a high bank. We dug into it from the bottom with our spades and filled it as fast as possible into our barrows. In front of each man was a "run" formed by a line of planks only eight inches in width and all converging toward and meeting near the "pug." The distance we were wheeling was from 30 to 40 yards, and the incline was really very steep, but that in itself would not have been so bad, but the labor of digging out the clay was very severe, and that everlasting "pug" was as hungry as if it were in the habit of taking bitters to give it an appetite.

One had no period of rest between the filling of one's barrow and the start up the run. In an hour's time my poor hands were covered with blood blisters, and my left knee was a lame duck indeed, made so by the slight wrench given it each time I struck in my spade with my left foot, but I made no complaint. About 10 o'clock the man next me, with an oath, threw down his spade and vowed he would do no more work. Putting on his vest and jacket, he walked up to the warder and quite as a matter of course turned his back to him and put both hands behind him. The warder produced a pair of handcuffs and without any comment whatever handcuffed his hands in that position and then told him to stand with his back to the work. No one took the slightest notice, and the toil did not slacken for an instant, but one man was out of the game, and we had to make his side good.

Noon came at last. We dropped our spades, hastily slipped on our jackets and at once set off at a quick march for the prison. I naturally looked at the various gangs piloting their way through the mud and all steering in a straight line for the Appian way, whereon we were, for, as all roads lead to Rome, so all the sticky ways "on the works" led to the prison. Our laconic friend was trudging on behind the party, and to my surprise I noticed that several of the other parties had un enfant perdu hands behind his back, marching in the rear, and as soon as we reached the prison each poor sheep in the rear fell out quite as a matter of course.

When all the men were in, a warder came up and gave the order: "Right turn! Forward!" and off the poor fellows marched to the punishment cells for three days' bread and water each and no bed, unless one designates an oak plank as such. It was all very sad. 'Twas pitiable to see the matter of fact way in which every one concerned took it all.

So my first day in the mud and clay came to an end, and I found myself once more in my little box, with a night before me for rest and thought. Although I had suffered, yet there were grounds for gratitude and hope, and I felt that I might regard the future steadily and without despair.

CHAPTER XIII.

The first day was over, but it seemed to me that something more must come; that what I had gone through could mean the life of a day must surely be impossible. Was there nothing before me but isolation so complete that no whisper from the outside world could reach me—that world which, compared with the death into which I was being absorbed, seemed the only world of the living?

Had I actually nothing to look for but the most repulsive work under the most repulsive conditions? I said there must be surely some change; that wheeling mud forever was not the doom of any man and could certainly not be mine.

I looked about my little cell, the stillness of the grave without, the utter solitude within. The untouched ration which formed my supper was on the table—eight ounces of black bread. Try as I might to cheat myself with hope I knew that hope for many a long year there was none; that, so far as the most vindictive sentence could compass it, for many a long year the earth with her bars was about me.

No "De profundis" cry could ever ascend from the abyss to the bottom of which I had fallen. What was outside of me had nothing but the hideous.

But although the visible seemed corruption and the things which my soul and body, too, had refused to touch were become my sorrowful meat, yet I could not but feel that the invisible, that part of me which no bars could hold and no man deprive me of, was still my own, and that in it I might and would find sufficient to support what I began to feel was, after all, the only man.

To face the actualities of the position was the first thing; not to cheat myself, the second. I had seen the sort of men I was to be with. I set to work to study and to understand the kind of life we were to live together.

At early dawn we rose, receiving immediately after the nine ounces of bread

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BY THE PECK SHE SMUGGLED GEMS,

And a Million Dollars Worth of Rare Jeweiry Handled by Mrs. Chadwick Will Be Uncovered, It is Believed, by the Officials.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 16.—The investigation of the charge that Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick smuggled into this country large quantities of diamonds, gems and jewelry has developed the absolute fact that the woman dealt in precious stones to an almost fabulous extent. Today the statement was made by Collector of Customs Leach that considerably more than $250,000 worth of precious stones handled by Mrs. Chadwick had been located, and it is expected that nearly or all of $1,000,000 worth of jewelry will be uncovered before the secret service men get through with the investigation. While the government is only interested in seeing that duty is paid on all the stuff brought over from Europe, a large part of which is thought to have been smuggled into this country, all the information secured by the officials will be placed at the disposal of Receiver Loeser and he will be able to realize thousands of dollars for the creditors of the woman.

Collector Leach stated today that Mrs. Chadwick probably has had in her possession more precious stones than the combined stock of any two jewelry stores in Ohio, and she did not use many of them as collateral. Most of these gems were given to friends.

"It is no exaggeration to say that the woman handled sapphires, pearls, rubies and emeralds by the peck, while the rarest diamonds came into her possession. She was an expert and there isn't a cheap stone in the lot," said Collector Leach.

There will be no immediate seizure of the gems. The persons holding them have been notified and many of them will be willingly surrendered.

The Secret Service officers have gone to Europe in tracing this Chadwick jewelry, finding where and when it was purchased.

PAID

Dearly for Assault on His Wife.

PROBATE JUDGE MILLER TAKES GOOD CARE OF THOMAS SEYMOUR.

Thomas Seymour, who assaulted his wife and daughter at their home on east North street, several evenings ago, and who was bound over to the Probate court by Mayor Robb, had a hearing this afternoon before the latter and was sentenced to thirty days hard labor at the Toledo work house, to remain committed until the costs in the case are paid. He admitted striking his wife and daughter, the evidence showing that he had knocked three of her teeth out.

RECEIVER

ASKED FOR THE ARGUE OIL COMPANY, BY G. H. QUAIL.

A petition was filed in the clerk's office this afternoon by Attorneys Welty and Downing, representing G. H. Quail, asking that a receiver be appointed for the Argue Oil Company.

WE NEED THE MONEY.

Subscribers to the DAILY NEWS in arrears for subscription will please call at the business office of the DAILY NEWS on east High street and settle.

LOST—Pair of sleeves of a ladies' coat on west Market street or south Pierce street. Finder leave same at this office and receive reward. 13-3t

DREW

THIRTY DAYS IN THE TOLEDO WORK HOUSE FOR VAGRANCY.

James Funk, an old time offender, was before Mayor Robb this morning on the charge of vagrancy. He was fined thirty days in the Toledo work house.

We suit your pocket book when it comes to price. Barth's Wall Paper, 207 west High street.

THE DEISEL-WEMMER CO. WANT 100 GIRLS TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAKING TRADE. WILL BE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. APPLY AT FACTORY BUILDING, COR. NORTH MAIN ST. AND PENN. R. R.

ARE YOU READING THEM?

The second of a series of ten sermons by Rev. George Wood Anderson, as published in today's issue of the DAILY NEWS.

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APOPLEXY

Causes the Death of Mrs. Rose Fisher.

DIED AT THE CITY HOSPITAL YESTERDAY—FUNERAL TOMORROW AFTERNOON FROM THE EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH.

Mrs. Rose Fisher, aged 48 years, of the corner of Bellefontaine and Harrison avenues, died last night at eleven o'clock at the hospital of apoplexy. The remains were taken to the home of Mr. J. Seibolt, 401 Prospect avenue. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock from the Epworth M. E church.

L. O. T. M.

The members of Lima Hive No. 43 will meet at the home of Mrs. Blakely, 761 Bellefontaine avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 sharp to attend in a body the funeral of Lady Fisher, which will be held in Epworth church.

Della Harboldt, Lady Com.

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Don't wait until spring to buy Wall Paper. Buy it now and save money at Barth's, 207 west High street.

DID YOU GET ONE.

The beautiful souvenir supplement issued in Saturday's DAILY NEWS occasioned many favorable comments.

A number of extra copies have been procured by the management and any NEWS reader failing to get one can have a copy by calling at this office.

AMUSEMENTS

So strong an impression did "Human Hearts" make upon a prominent clergyman in New York, that he wrote to the gentleman impersonating Tom Hogan, vigorously indorsing the play and informing him of his intention of trotting all the orphans of a local asylum out to see it at his own expense. And he did it.

"You cannot conceive," said Manager Nankeville, "of the appreciation of those youngsters at the change of sermon thus afforded them, unless you had listended to that gallery the day they attended. With the "gods present," he continued, "as often as I have enjoyed sitting through it, it was as enjoyable as a box of monkeys sprinkling over with tears. Quite often since, have fix schools, whose principals were aware of the great merit in the play, been given a half holiday, that the youngsters might enjoy a matinee. And what out-spoken critics the tots have been! You can't get a favored criticism or a padded eulogy for love of money from a juvenile. You must give him the goods or he denounces you broadcast, and I am really grateful to the tots of America for their appreciation of what all now agree to be one of the best American plays.

Human Hearts" come to the Faurot opera house on Wednesday night.

NEWS READERS SHOULD REPORT ANY IRREGULARITIES ON THE PART OF NEWS CARRIER BOYS IN THE DELIVERY OF THE PAPER.

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A NEW YEAR'S GIFT.

The Canadian Pacific Railroad has bought several editions of the "Simple Life" by Charles Wagner, as translated from the French, by Miss Clive Harper, for distribution among the friends and patrons of the road.

No book in recent years has attracted more attention than this wonderful lucid exposition of the beauties of the simple life. President Roosevelt thought so highly of it that he invited its distinguished author to visit this country and wrote "I am preaching your book to my countrymen." Philanthropist John Wanamaker is behind a movement which has for its object the building of a church in Paris, of which Professor Wagner will be the pastor, and from its pulpit teach the lesson of "The Simple Life."

Mr. A. C. Shaw, General Agent Passenger Dept., 228 South Clark street, Chicago, Ill., is looking after the friends of the road who desire a copy free of cost.

CARNIVAL OF ICE AT NIAGARA FALLS.

Niagara in winter affords a greater variety and more wonderful frost and ice than any other single place on the globe. Harper's Weekly for December 24th devotes over four pages to some magnificent pictures and a most interesting description of the world's greatest cataract in mid-winter. The way to reach Niagara Falls from any direction, North, South, East or West, is by the New York Central Railway system. A copy of Four Track Series No. 9, "Two Days at Niagara Falls," will be sent free upon receipt of a two cent stamp, by George H Daniels, General Passenger Agent, Grand Central Station, New York.

$25.00 REWARD

The DAILY NEWS will pay $25 reward to any person giving information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the newspaper thieves who have been busy for several weeks.

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The waters of St. Catharines Well are of the mineral saline order and a great specific tonic for rheumatism gout, neuralgia, or a splendid tonic for those affected with nervous prostration. The use of the waters is accompanied by massage, electricity, etc., given by skilled attendants. Situated on the southern slope of Lake Ontario, the climatic conditions and environment are excellent for recuperating. This region is known as the Garden of Canada, and a happy hunting ground for health or pleasure seekers. Guard against the ills of modern life by visiting these famous springs. The Welland will be found a comfortable, home-like, rest cure establishment, with sun room, library, music room, roof promenade, and corps of skilled attendants. For further particulars apply to G. T. Bell, G. P. & T. A., Grand Trunk Railway system Montreal.

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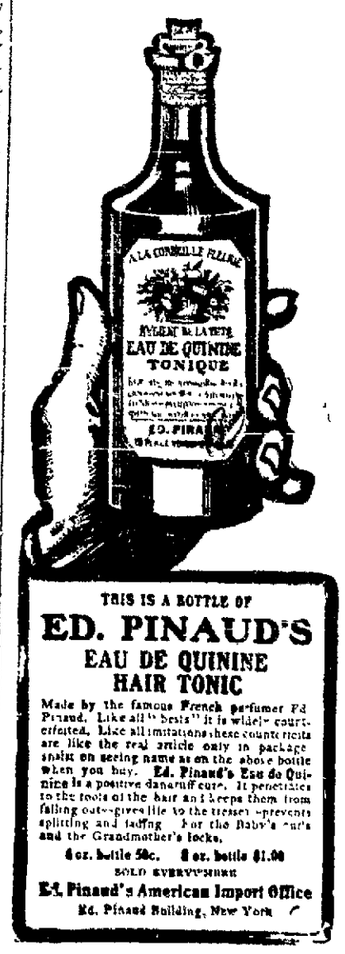

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In effect December 4, 1904.

East Bound.

No 8 daily ..... 3:55 a. m.
No. 22 daily ex. Sunday.. 8:21 a. m.
No. 4 daily ..... 5:52 p. m.
No. 14 daily ex. Sunday.. 9:35 p. m.
No. 10 daily .....11:02 p. m.

West Bound.

No. 7 daily .....12:52 a. m.
No. 9 daily ..... 1:43 a. m.
No. 21 daily ex. Sunday.. 8:41 a. m.
No. 3 daily .....11:35 a. m.
No. 13 daily ex. Monday. 4:38 p. m.

P. F. W. & C. (Pennsylvania) Ry.

The Pennsylvania—Westbound.

Train No. 15, heretofore due at 1:45, now 1:40.

Train No. 23, due heretofore at 10:23 a. m., henceforth at 10:21 a. m.

Train No. 9, due heretofore at 2:40 p. m., will be 2:38 p. m.

Train No. 35, 5:05 p. m., now runs through to Plymouth six days, but is off on Sunday.

Eastbound.

Train No. 6, heretofore due here at 7:25 a. m., will in the future come at 7:21.

Train No. 36, heretofore at 9:40, will arrive at 9:36, and does not run on Sunday.

Train No. 30, daily except Sunday, formerly at 2:15, will henceforth get away at 2:25 p. m.

Train No. 22, was 6:55 p. m., now 6:52 p. m.

Train No. 24, was 2:51 a. m., is now 12:49 a. m.

Note these changes and avoid getting left.

L. E. & W.

West Bound.

3 Daily ex. Sun., leaves.. 4:55 a. m.
1 Daily, leaves ..... 9:58 a. m.
5 Daily ex. Sun., leaves .. 3:48 p. m.
7 Ar. except Sunday... 7:55 p. m.
9 Sunday only, leaves... 7:20 p. m.

East Bound.

8 Daily ex. Sun., leaves.. 8:00 a. m.
4 Daily ex. Sun., leaves.. 12:50 p. m.
2 Daily, leaves ..... 5:55 p. m.
10 Sunday only, leaves... 9:00 a. m.

C., H. & D. RAILROAD.

In effect Sunday, Dec. 4th.

South Bound.

7 Daily, leaves ..... 2:15 a. m.
1 Daily, leaves ..... 9:25 a. m.
11 Daily ex. Sun., leaves.. 5:35 a. m.
5 Daily, leaves ..... 12:40 p. m.
3 Daily, leaves ..... 4:15 p. m.
9 Daily, leaves ..... 6:15 p. m
13 Arrives, ex. Sunday .. 8:45 p. m.
65 Leaves, Sunday only... 7:10 a. m.

North Bound.

12 Daily, leaves ..... 2:05 a. m.
14 Daily, ex. Sun., leaves.. 5:30 a. m.
2 Daily, leaves ex. Sun.. 8:00 a. m.
6 Daily, leaves ..... 11:55 a. m.
4 Daily, leaves ..... 4:30 p. m.
8 Daily, leaves ..... 7:25 p. m.
10 Daily ex. Sun. ar. only 9:35 p. m.
60 Sunday only, leaves .. 7:43 p. m.
68 Sunday only ar. only.. 9:55 p. m.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect January 31, 1904:

Going South.

1 Daily ex. Sunday .... 2:25 p. m
3 Daily ex. Sunday ..... 6:00 a. m.
21 Sunday only ..... 2:25 p. m

Going North.

2 Daily ex. Sunday ....10:55 a. m.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, ar.. 8:25 p. m.
22 Sunday only, ar.....10:55 a. m.

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, O.

Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.

C. & L. M. TIME CARD.

NORTH P. M.		SOUTH A. M.
4:30	Lima	9:30
4:50	Gomer	9:11
5:02	Jones City	9:00
5:14	‖Seitz	8:50
L5:40	Kalida	A8:28
5:40	Kalida	A8:28
5:48	Donington	8:20
5:54	‖Leon	8:12
A6:02	Continental	L8:05
	EAST.	
L6:14	Continental	A7:47
6:25	‖Rice	7:36
6:32	‖Southerton	7:30
6:46	Defiance	7:15

‖Flag Station.

OHIO CENTRAL LINES.

Time card in effect May 29th, 1904.

For Columbus and South.

No.
16 Lv. Wapak., daily .... 7:18 a. m.
16 Lv. Slater, daily ..... 7:31 a. m.
18 Lv. Wapak., daily .... 2:50 p. m.
18 Lv. Slater daily ..... 3:05 p. m
2 Lv. Dunkirk, daily .... 6:12 a. m.
4 Lv. Dunkirk, daily ex. Sunday.... ....10:36 a. m.
6 Lv. Dunkirk, daily ... 4:20 p. m.

For Columbus and South.

No.
15 Ar. Slater, daily ..... 9:15 a. m.
15 Ar. Wapak., daily .... 9:23 a. m.
17 Ar. Slater, daily ..... 6:53 p. m.
17 Ar. Wapak., daily ....7:06 p. m.
1 Ar. Dunkirk daily ....11.43 a. m.
3 Ar. Dunkirk daily except Sunday ..... 4:20 p. m.
5 Ar. Dunkirk daily .... 9:02 p. m.

HOME-SEEKERS EXCURSIONS.

West, Northwest and Southwest via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines to points West, Northwest and Southwest, account Home-Seekers' Excursions, during December, January, February, March and April. For full particulars regarding fares, routes, etc., call on local ticket agent of those lines.

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First car leaves Lima 6:12 A. M. and every hour thereafter until 11:12 P. M.

First car leaves Piqua 6:35 A. M. and every hour thereafter until 9:30 P. M. 11:30 P. M. car leaving Piqua runs only to Wapakoneta. Last car for Dayton and local points leaves Lima at 8:12 P. M.

Cars leave Celina for Lima, making connections at St. Marys for New Bremen and Minster, also making direct connections at Wapakoneta for Botkins, Anna, Swanders, Sidney, Lockington and Piqua, 6 A. M. and every hour thereafter until 9 P. M. 10 P. M. and 11 P. M. cars run to Wapakoneta only.

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HOURS OF CLOSING MAILS AT LIMA POST OFFICE.

EAST.

C. & E. Ry.—Alger and Harrod ..... 8:00 a. m.
P. Ft. W. & C. Ry.....12:30 a. m.
C. & E. Ry..... 3.00 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 7:10 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry—Bluffton, Findlay, Rawson, Mt. Cory ..... 7:40 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry.....12:15 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 2.00 p. m.
C. & E. Ry..... 4:00 p. m.
Findlay ..... 5:15 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 6:30 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 9.15 p. m.

WEST.

P. F. W. & C. Ry.....12:30 a. m.
C. & E. Ry.....12:30 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry..... 3:30 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 9:00 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry.....10:00 a. m.
L. E. & W. Ry..... 9:30 a. m.
C. & E. Ry.....11:00 a. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 2:50 p. m.
St. Marys and Celina.... 3:50 p. m.
P. F. W. & C. Ry..... 6:30 p. m.

NORTH.

C. H. & D. Ry.....12:30 a. m.
Col. Grove Ottawa, Toledo 7:40 a. m.
Detroit & Southern Ry...10:30 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry.....11:30 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry..... 3:50 p. m.

SOUTH.

C. H. & D. Ry.....12:30 a. m.
Cridersville, Anna, Botkins 5:00 a. m.
Detroit outhern Ry..... 5:00 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry..... 8:20 a. m.
C. H. & D. Ry.....12:15 p. m.
Detroit Southern Ry .... 5:00 a. m.
Wapakoneta, Sidney and Cincinnati ..... 3:50 p. m.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION

And One Way Low Rate Settlers Tickets.

Agents of the Ohio Central line have on sale excursion tickets at reduced rates for Homeseekers and Settlers.

For full particulars, rates, dates of sale and territory to which ticket are sold, call on or address agent of these lines.

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Your own physician will tell you that the dry mountain air of Colorado as an elixir of life stands pre-eminent. Always rigorous and stimulating, the crisp atmosphere of Colorado is at its best in winter. To accommodate winter tourists to the Rockies, the Union Pacific has put in effect from Chicago a round trip rate of $47.20 and from St. Louis a round trip rate of $39.20, with proportionate reductions from all points within its immediate territory. Tickets on sale every day until May 1st, 1905, with return limit June 1st, 1905. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific, the popular route to Colorado. For full information inquire of W. H. Connor, G. A., 53 east Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

LOCAL MARKETS

This list is corrected every day. Prices paid by Lima merchants January 11.

Potatoes, per bu	40 to 50
New hay	.9 50
Creamery butter, per lb	32 to 34
Eggs, per doz	22 to 24
Lard, per lb	8 to 9
Bacon, per lb	12 to 14
Spring chickens, per lb	7 to 8
Chickens, per lb	7 to 8
Ducks, per lb	5 to 7
Turkey, per lb	14 to 15
Wheat	1.10
Corn, per bu	.56
Oats new, per bu	30
Hungarian	1.54
Millett	70
Clover seed per bu	6 50 to 7.00
Timothy seed	1.50 to 1 65
Timothy hay, choice	9.50
Lambs per cwt	4.50 to 5 00
Veal Calves	3½ to 5½
Cows per cwt	1½ to 3.00
Heifers, per cwt	2 75 to 3.50
Steers, per cwt	3.00 to 4.00
Hogs, rough	3.25 to 3.50

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LIMA'S BONDED DEBT.

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* * * * and service rendered by or transferred from one department or public industry to another, shall be paid for at its true and full value by the department receiving the same, and no department shall benefit in any financial manner whatever by an appropriation fund made for the support of any other department or public industry.

The intention of this section was to make the fire department, schools etc., pay for the water used as well as any other service rendered, but upon the passage of that section it did not repeal the following:

"Section 2417, R. S.—No charge shall be made by the trustees or board for supplying water for extinguishing fires or furnishing and supplying connections, and fire hydrants, and keeping the same in repair for fire department purposes, or cleaning of markets, or for the use of public schools or for the use of any public buildings belonging to the corporation."

and consequently cannot be enforced. Our water works would no doubt be self supporting if the fire department, schools, etc., would pay for the water they use, and would then "be able to make a better showing," but we fail to see the actual benefit a taxpayer would derive from lowering the rate in the sinking fund and the raising it just that much for fire department school, etc., purposes.

Our bonded debt is over one million dollars, and we can see no method of reducing it except by paying some of it. This is the first year for some time that it has shown a decrease, and we again caution your honorable body to allow this decrease to continue for several years to come.

We apologize for submitting a report of such length, but as we could see no way of placing the whole situation before you in detail except by taking each matter up separate, we thought it best to do that so there would be no misconception of our duties.

We thank all the officials who have rendered us assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. STEPHENS, President. A. C. REICHELDERFER Vice Pres
LUIS KOCH. L. A. DEAN.
FRED C. BEAM, Secy.

MYSTERY IS THE CUT IN OIL PRICES

Operators Claim Conditions Do Not Justify It—Some Say Standard is Making it Pay for the New Pipe Line to Whiting.

Toledo, Ohio, Jan 16.—The recent slump in oil prices throughout the country is already showing its effect. The last decline was not centered on any one field, but was a general decline. The high grade producing fields did not suffer as much, as the fields of Kansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and even the heavy grades in Texas were all cut five cents on credit balances. Stocks are still piling up to an alarming extent; hence the trade are mystified why the price is being cut the way it is. Some contend that it is to help defray the expenses of building the extensive pipe line from Kansas to Whiting, while others say it is the competition in the foreign market. The Standard Oil company alone can clear up this mystery. The oil men are very indignant, and the talk is to secure other refining plants and give them the product.

The low price oil has but little effect upon the operators in the gusher territory, for there the wells pay out within a short period, but in the small territory is where the oil men cannot afford the cut.

The past week has been a rather quiet one in operations; still 20 gushers were drilled in with an output of 4,130 barrels. The wells for the week were divided as follows:

State.	Comp	Prod.	Dry.
Indiana	58	3,812	8
Northwestern Ohio	36	846	1
West Virginia	27	2,051	6
Southwestern Ohio	22	548	8
Kentucky	11	240	1
Totals	144	7,500	24

Indiana Field.

The deep sand territory in the Indiana field is the Mecca of the oil men, especially on a low market. These gushers are found that they pay out their first cost within a few days. Delaware county for the week is credited with an even dozen gushers, with an initial output of 2,030 barrels. The most important of Indiana wells for the week is the test drilled by the Cicero Gas company near Cicero, Hamilton county. This well came in at better than 100 barrels, and the Standard is now extending its pipe line to the new field. A small well has been found in Wayne county and a dry hole in Hendricks county. The week's work was mostly confined to Delaware county, and divided as follows:

County.	Comp.	Prod.	Dry
Delaware	31	3,165	2
Grant	8	175	1
Huntington	4	127	0
Jay	3	80	1
Wells	2	55	0
Blackford	2	30	1
Adams	2	35	1
Randolph	2	30	1
Madison	1	10	0
Wayne	1	5	0
Hendricks	1	0	1
Totals	58	3,812	8

Ohio Field.

Only one well in the 100-barrel list was finished in Northwestern Ohio during the week and that one is owned by the Ohio Oil company and located in Wood county. The wells for the week are divided as follows:

County.	Comp.	Prod	Dry.
Wood	6	290	0
Sandusky	8	110	1
Allen	5	115	0
Hancock	4	85	0
Van Wert	2	60	0
Wyandot	2	40	0
Mercer	2	35	0
Lucas	1	40	0
Darke	1	30	0
Auglaize	1	15	0
Seneca	1	15	0
Ottawa	1	6	0
Totals	36	846	1

Work is quiet in the shallow sand fields in Southeastern Ohio. One gusher good for 250 barrels, was found in Monroe county. The wells for the week were as follows:

County.	Comp.	Prod.	Dry
Washington	14	144	5
Monroe	3	250	2
Belmont	3	9	1
Jefferson	1	125	0
Morgan	1	10	0
Harrison	1	10	0
Totals	23	548	8

West Virginia and Kentucky.

Five gushers were found the past few days in the West Virginia field. The largest was the test on the Beatty land, near Mannington, in Marion county, which did 960 barrels. Two other gushers were found in the same county and one each in Harrison and Wetzel counties.

The wells for the week were as follows:

County	Comp.	Prod.	Dry.
Marion	7	1,470	1
Harrison	5	173	2
Wetzel	3	210	0
Doddridge	3	20	2
Calhoun	2	75	0
Wirt	2	65	0
Tyler	2	30	0
Wood	1	6	0
Ritchie	1	5	0
Mason	1	0	1
Totals	27	2,054	6

No late gushers have been found in Kentucky or Tennessee field. The wells for the week were as follows:

County.	Comp	Prod	Dry.
Wayne	6	165	1
Wolfe	2	40	0
Estill	1	15	0
Cumberland	1	15	0
Adair	1	5	0
Totals	11	240	1

OIL MARKET

Tiona	$1 57
Pennsylvania	1.42
Corning	1.09
New Castle	1.34
Second Sand	1.32
Cabelle Co.	1.17
Whitehouse	1.17
North Lima	.95
South Lima	.90
Indiana	.90
Somerset	.83
South Neodesha	.72
Bartlesville	.72

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FORMER PRESIDENT

Of Ohio Bar Association, Ex-Congressman Harris, Passes Away.

Bucyrus, Ohio, Jan 16.—Sudenly came the summons that called Congressman Stephen Harris from earth. While he had been too ill to appear at his office for several weeks there was no apprehension that his sickness would terminate fatally, but this morning a few minutes after he had been up and around his home he suddenly expired.

Mr Harris was aged 81. He was a prominent lawyer, having been a charter member of the Ohio Bar Association, and at one time was president of that organization. Mr. Harris served in Congress preceding James A. Norton, of Tiffin.

The Evangeline Club will meet with Mrs Peter Dinglodine, 916 Madison avenue, Thursday, Jan 19.

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Address Dr Hartman president of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

CHARGES

AGAINST THE POSTMASTER ENABLED THE FORAKER MEN TO GET HIS SCALP—BATAVIA ECHO OF SIXTH DISTRICT ROW.

Batavia, Ohio, January 16.—W. W. Dennison received notice from Washington that he had been appointed postmaster at Batavia to take the place of W. H. Baum, who was removed last Wednesday.

Some time ago charges were preferred against Mr. Baum with the result that he was removed. The charges on file state that the decapitated official had been interested in the political mix-up in this county to such an extent that it had materially interfered with the administration of the office, and that he did not give his personal attention to the office. Other charges relating to the conduct of the office were also made.

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GREAT FUTURE

Coming Year Will Witness Completion of Many Electric Lines

Into This City—Talk of Converting the Public Square Into a Central Station Meets With Approval.

That Lima is destined to become a city of fifty thousand inhabitants within the next few years is no idle dream The fact that a half dozen or more electric railroads will be completed and running cars into this city with in the next twelve months is but one of the numerous evidences of prosperity in Lima.

The business man realizes the value of the trolley line and uses every effort to encourage their building. Lima cannot get too many electric railroads.

The question is now being agitated as to the advisability of a general central interurban station to be located in the public square and it is meeting with approval among the business men

With the completion of the line between this city and Ottawa, work on which will start in a few weeks, the Lima, Van Wert and Ft. Wayne line, which is now operated between this city and Van Wert, and the building of the extension of the Western Ohio to Findlay, there to connect with a trolley road into Toledo, many cars will run into the city every hour. All of these roads will come into Lima over the tracks of the Lima Railway company and with an up to date central passenger station, modern in every way, Lima would certainly present a lively appearance —an appearance that would cause a favorable impression among the many strangers coming here to do their shopping What do you think of the central station idea?

MICHAEL'S SALE ENDS NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT.

Coats Half Price.

Our big Half-Price Sale on Ladies' and Children's Coats and Capes began last Monday Morning and will last all this week. No use to shiver or wear an out-of-date coat when you can get the very latest at just half price. Some of the very choicest of the season's stock to select from. Better come right away before your size is gone. None charged at the half price offer.

Furs Half Price.

All our Ladies' and Children's Fur Sets and Scarfs are being sold rapidly at just half price. All styles, lengths and colors.

Millinery Half Price.

All Ladies', Misses' and Children's fine Hats are being sold rapidly at half price, which is actually away below cost. Three or four months yet to wear a winter hat, so don't miss this chance.

Baby Hoods Half Price.

One case of fine Velvet, Silk and Wool Baby Hoods and Caps are being sold at just Half-Price. Some beauties in this lot and they will not last long at such slaughter prices.

Big Cut Price Sale on Skirts, Waists, Petticoats and everything in our store. $1 Purses for 59c.

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LIMA

Lady Passes Away in Cincinnati.

NEWS OF DEMISE OF ALICE W. REED RECEIVED HERE YESTERDAY MORNING.

A telegram was received here yesterday afternoon announcing the death of Alice W. Reed at Cincinnati. Deceased is the daughter of S. C. Reed, of 747 south Main street, and was aged 34 years. Particulars concerning death were not given. The remains will reach Lima this afternoon at four o'clock. No funeral arrangements have been made.

If you want good wood or kindling see the Excelsior Lumber Co. New phone 1010. e o d-2w

If your time or life has a Money Value Protect it in the Continental Casualty Company, Rooms 501-503 Faurot Block. F C Whitley, District Manager.

NOTICE.

T A Collins, who has been with the Times-Democrat Publishing Co for the past fifteen years as collector, will, on January 15th, take the position of collector and solicitor for O'Conner Bros Co., general insurance agency. J3-eod12wks.

SUFFERED

A Stroke of Paralysis.

F. LIGHT, OF WASHINGTON STREET QUITE POORLY

F Light the well known veteran is quite poorly at his home on Washington street where several days since he suffered a stroke of paralysis

BIG SCARE

Knights of Columbus Meet

POSTPONED UNTIL FEBRUARY FIFTH—NEW COUNCIL TO BE INSTITUTED AT FINDLAY.

The big state gathering of Knights of Columbus which was scheduled for yesterday at the Auditorium in this city, was postponed at the last meeting until February 5th, when the program as previously outlined in the DAILY NEWS will be carried out.

On January 29th a council of the Knights of Columbus will be organized at Findlay, the Lima team to assist in the work.

Any kind of wall decorations. We can do it right at Barth's, 207 west High street.

DAUGHTER

OF MR. AND MRS. McCAULEY SLIPS AND BREAKS HER LEG.

The fourteen year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Edward McCauley, while skating near her home on east McKibben street Saturday afternoon, slipped and fell, fracturing her leg

ARE YOU READING THEM?

The second of a series of ten sermons by Rev George Wood Anderson, is published in today's issue of the DAILY NEWS

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Felix N Hare, who has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs Edwin Powell is improving slowly

On South Elizabeth Street

THIS MORNING FROM A BURNING FLUE—DEPARTMENT CALLED BUT THEIR SERVICES NOT NEEDED.

At about 7 50 this morning the fire department was called to the residence of S E Jessup at 723 south Elizabeth street by an alarm from box 52 A burning flue caused some alarm, but no damage was done

SPECIAL NOTICE

TO PARTICIPANTS IN THE COMIC OPERA, "PROF. NAPOLEON."

All children from the East End who have been participating in the rehearsals for the comic opera, Prof Napoleon, are hereby notified by the director, Mr Cooper, that they must cease to attend the rehearsals, on account of an order issued by the Board of Health

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